GRAND RAPIDS TRIBUNE.

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Our Holiday Opening

Tuesday, Dec. 6th

Almost our entire holiday line will be on exhibition on the above date, and we extend an invitation to you to come and see it. The goods shown then will be representative of all that is latest and best in the gift line. We hope that you will call early, as the sooner you come the more extensive will be your fund of holiday ideas. It is seeing the goods, not buying them, that we urge just now. By seeing them now and as often later as you can, you will eliminate a lot of the worry and waste of time and energy that always results when the work of making selections is put off until the last minute.

Lots of New Things

There are a large number of novelties this season, some useful, others ornamental. We have them all. Experience proves that these novel goods go first, so, as you no doubt want to get the best selections for your money, we urge you to come soon. We especially invite you to come on the day of the "Opening."

Don't forget the date

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6th.

JOHNSON & HILL CO.

DRUG DEPARTMENT.

Christmas Gifts Given Away.

From December 3rd to 24th, with every 50c cash purchase you make at our store you receive a numbered ticket—a chance on our christmas prizes.

There are three lucky numbers and three prizes, all worth trying for.

First: A Silk Dress Pattern.

Second: A Beautiful Dressed Doll.

Third: A Barrel of New York Apples

While buying Christmas presents for your friends and relatives visit our store. We have a fine line of suitable gifts for all. We give you your money's worth at all times. For 19 days as above date we will give you a chance on these beautiful gifts.

Call and see us and ask for tickets with your purchases.

Heineman Mercantile Company.

AGED MAN BURNED.

Richard Curran of Bobcock Meets Death by Fire.

Richard Curran, an aged man living near Babcock, was cremated on Sunday night, by the burning of his house. The circumstances surrounding the man's death are not known, as there was nobody near at the time and the ruins of the house and the charred remains were found on Monday.

Curran, who was a bachelor lived about three miles from Babcock and one of his neighbors was in the habit of calling at the house every two or three days for the purpose of securing any supplies the old man might need and bringing them from town for him. When he arrived at Curran's place on Monday he found the house in ashes, and upon investigation he discovered the charred remains of the old man in the ruins.

The authorities were notified and tho an investigation was held nothing could be found which threw any light on the case, and the general conclusion was that the house had caught fire during the night and that the old man has been smothered while asleep, so that he was unable to do anything to help himself.

Curran was a man about 65 years of age, an Irishman by birth, and had no relatives in this country. James McLaughlin of this city had been a friend of Curran s for a number of years and thru Mr. McLaughlin's assistance he had been enabled to live without going to the poor house. Mr. McLaughlin went down on the noon train Tuesday to Babcock, taking a coffin with him, and that afternoon the remains were interred at Babcock.

Election Figures.

Some remarkable things have developed since the official count was made in the state, regarding the vote that the different officers received. The following table shows some of them:

Candidates—	Plurality.	Excess over LaFollette.
Roosevelt	158,258	101,521
Davidson	98,482	41,750
Houser	98,940	47,208
Kempf	87,336	35,604
Sturdevant	99,897	48,165
Thomas	101,277	59,545
Host	97,009	45,277

Hunter Misses Woman.

Mrs. Chas. Heuer, residing at Pittsville, came near being shot one day last week by a hunter. She heard some shooting in the neighborhood and went to the door, when almost immediately afterward a bullet struck the door over her head, missing her but a few inches. This is the first case we know of where the hunter has missed killing a person when they pointed their gun that way, altho many of them do miss deer. Mrs. Heuer is to be congratulated.

Wisconsin's Helen Kellers.

The marvelous attainments of the blind-deaf Helen Keller stand as an evidence of what can be accomplished under seemingly insurmountable difficulties. It is not generally known, however, that there are in different schools of the United States nearly thirty unfortunates of this class. Wisconsin has two of these, Eva Halliday of Milwaukee and Annie Johnson of Colfax.

Eva Halliday lost her hearing and sight in infancy. She has now been in the Wisconsin School for the deaf at Delavan, a little more than two years. She has learned to read and to operate rapidly the Braille and Remington typewriters. She has also been taught speech and articulates so that those who are familiar with her have little difficulty in understanding her. She reads the lips by placing her fingers upon the lips of the speaker. During her two years schooling she has made more rapid progress than has any other blind-deaf student, even including Helen Keller, in an equal time.

Annie Johnson lost her sight and hearing at the age of twelve. She was bright and ambitious country school girl until this affliction came upon her. Last January she entered the Delavan School for the Deaf. She has a vocabulary and a voice resulting from her twelve years of existence in full possession of all of her senses. The problem of teaching her is quite different from that of teaching Eva. Annie has only to master the point system used by the blind and to learn the manipulation of typewriters. This she has done even in the short time she has been in the state school.

Both Eva and Annie are bright, happy, light hearted girls. They are optimistic of all that is being done for them. No department of the work of the Delavan school is more fascinating to visitors than is the department of the blind-deaf. This department is under the direction of Miss Delia Rice of Columbus, Ohio. Both of these girls, with their teacher will be present at the State Teachers' Association which meets at Milwaukee, December 27th, 28th and 29th. They will give an exhibition of their accomplishments and the method used in teaching blind-deaf students.

Modern Brotherhood of America

Have made a special rate to you during the month of Dec. $3.75 includes all first payments.

Don't forget to see the Dist. Mgr. while he is here and give him your application for now is an opportunity you will never get again, and you do not know how soon you may die or some accident happen and this leaves yourself and family in a critical condition. Do not delay for in the M. B. A. you get what you need and what you want.

Watches and Jewelry is a specialty with us.

WATCHES: All the leading makes, from $8 for a pretty gold filled ladies with chateline pin up to the best.

Boys Watches at $3 and $3.50.

Gent's watches at Five Dollars up to the finest railroad grade.

Our line of solid Gold Broaches, Lockets, Cuff Buttons and Stick Pins are all the newest designs and at the very lowest possible prices.

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Phone No. 5, West Side.

Coming your way?

Are they? Are things coming right for you?

Do you imagine it'll be pleasant to get along this coming winter, as you did last year, without storm windows for the house? We don't pose as public benefactors—never did; we're not going to give away any public libraries, but in the matter of furnishing useful things for the house, why we can make Andy Carniege and Johnny Rockefeller look like pikers.

Storm windows are no longer considered luxuries—they're necessities—they will save their cost in fuel the first winter and the wise man puts them on before cold weather catches him. ***Order now.***

Kellogg Bros. Lumber Co.

East Grand Rapids, Tel. 357. West Grand Rapids, Tel. 356. Nekoosa Tel. 20.

SENATOR BUCKLEY DEAD.

Was Well Known in This City Where he Visited.

Word was received by E. P. Arpin of this city on Saturday apprising him of the death of Senator W. S. Buckley, of Denver, Colorado. Mr. Buckley died on Friday, the 25th instant. Deceased was well known in this city where he has often visited and had man friends here who will be sorry to hear of his untimely demise. The remains were interred at Milwaukee, where the Senator formerly lived, the funeral occuring on Tuesday morning. The following from the Milwaukee Free Press gives a short sketch of Mr. Buckley's life:

Senator Buckley was a member of the firm of J. O. & W. S. Buckley, mining experts, organizer and general manager of the Ophir Consolidated Mines company, and a Democratic leader in the Colorado senate. J. O. Buckley, the senior member of the firm, has been ill since October 29.

Senator Buckley was 40 years of age, having been born at Black Hawk, near Sauk City, on April 18, 1864. His father, James Buckley, was a native of Clonmel, Ireland, and his mother also was of Irish desent. He received his early education in the district schools and he entered the University of Wisconsin when 18 years of age. He was a member of the Hesperia society, and he won laurels in the joint debate in 1887.

In 1890 Mr. Buckley came to Milwaukee and engaged in the real estate business with his older brother, J. O. Buckley. He became interested in gold mining in the San Juan district, Col., six years later, and he finally moved to Telluride, Col., where he assumed the active management of the company.

Mr. Buckley was elected state senator in 1898, and he was re-elected for four years in 1902. He was elected president of the senate at the last session, which position he held at the time of his death.

He married to Miss Georgiana Arpin, daughter of John Arpin, a lumber merchant of Grand Rapids, Wis., in 1892. His three daughters are attending school at Dubuque, Ia., while his son is going to school in this city. He recently visited his brother, J. O. Buckley. During several years he had been in ill-health and he spent a great deal of his time at summer resorts and in southern trips. Another brother, Edwin, also resides in Milwaukee, and a third, Henry, is assistant manager of the Ophir Consolidated Mines company.

A Word to the Afflicted.

(From the Kalamazoo (Mich.) Telegraph.)

"Dr. F. B. Brewer has made his visits for years. It is almost unnecessary to append to this announcement any recommendation or encomiums. The Doctor is well known in this vicinity, and the cures he has wrought speak volumes for him. His studies and researches in the diseases which he makes a specialty, have been prosecuted with an unyielding application and vigor, which have awarded him with wonderful success. In his treatment, he has not remained satisfied with the old, well beaten course. His system embraces new ideas, new medicines and new operations, and these combind with the old methods of the school, have ever been attended with the most gratifying results."

Those in this vicinity in want of a skillful physician, can find one in Dr. Brewer who makes his next visit to the Hotel Dixon in this city Thursday, December 15. Consultation and examination free.

Marriage Licenses.

Herman Lawrence of the town of Sigel, and Leanore R. Lessig of Rudolph.

Joseph Bargeron of the town of Port Edwards, and Mary Ratelle of Grand Rapids.

Gotlieb Necher of Vesper, and Pauline Velk of Nekoosa.

Joseph O. Berdan, of Auburndale, and Ida Schultz of the same place.

Julius Smith of the town of Aripn, to Elsie Passer of the same place.

Andrew Dupee, of the town of Wood, to Myrtle M. Baker of the town of Richfield.

Edward N. Faulkner of Watertown, Wis., to Myrtle H. Dunning of Pittsville, Wis.

Don't Forget It.

The regular banquet of the Grand Rapids Advancement Association occurs at the Elk's rooms next Thursday evening, on which occasion it is hoped that there will be even a better attendance than heretofore. The ladies of the East Side Congregational society will serve the supper, and it is expected that there will be some speakers present from outside to address the members of the association. The previous banquets of the association have proven so pleasant that there is no doubt but the coming affair will be largely attended.

To Organize Lodge.

A branch of the Catholic Order of Foresters will be organized on the west side in this city in the near future among the Polish Catholics of Father Korczyk's congregation. The preliminary steps have been taken and it is expected that the new order will start out with about forty members.

Our Holiday Opening.

Our complete stock of holiday goods will be placed on display next Tuesday. We cordially invite you to call on that day, or as soon after as possible, and see them. Johnson & Hill Co. drug department.

Farewell for Rev. Staff.

In speaking of the farewell reception given Rev. Fred Staff at Fort Atkinson Monday morning, the Jefferson County Union says:

"The members of the Congregational church were out in full attendance upon the farewell reception tendered to Rev. Fred Staff on Monday night. There was also a large attendance of the many friends Mr. and Mrs. Staff have made during their kindly and pleasant sojourn of seven years in our midst.

At the close of the formal reception short addresses were given by A. M. Webb, Esq., Prof. Hageman, Hon. L. B. Caswell, Miss Millie Brandel and W. D. Hoard. A warm earnest spirit of regard towards Mr. Staff dominated the occasion and several appropriate gifts to himself and wife, on behalf of the congregation were tendered in a feeling manner by Prof. Hageman.

Mr. Staff goes to his new field of labor at Grand Rapids, Wis., bearing the best wishes and earnest hope for his success from every person in this city without regard to position or creed.

His history and career is one that presents a most convincing testimonial of the value of American institution, and his own indomitable energy and ability. Coming to this country from Sweden at the age of 18 years, poor and without friends, he set himself to work to master the English language and obtain a college education. This he finally accomplished at Beloit.

He entered the Congregational ministry and became the settled pastor of the church in this city, seven years ago.

His sermons have been characterized, without exception by such a quality of thought, scholarly research and felicity of expression, as to evoke the highest regard of our people.

His personal contact and standing as a citizen has been helpful to the life and progress of our city and we all part with him and his good wife with a regret we cannot express. His last sermon will preached next Sunday morning."

Rev. Staff arrived in this city on Monday and will preached in the Congregational church next Sunday.

Death of Mrs. Fournier.

Mrs. Louis Fournier died at her home on the east side Saturday afternoon after an illness of only a few days. She was taken sick on Tuesday with what was thought at first to be rheumatism and she suffered great pain and grew steadily worse until death came to relieve her of her sufferings at 5:30 o'clock on Saturday.

Mrs. Fournier has been a great sufferer form rheumatism for some time past, but previous to her last illness she had been quite well, so that her death came all the more sudden to her numerious friends in this city.

Mrs. Fournier was born in this city November 10, 1858, and was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gross who survive her. She was married to Louis Fournier on the 1st of December, 1878, and is survived by her husband and one son, Clayton, who have the sympathy of all the community in the loss of their nearest and dearest relative.

The funeral was held from the Catholic church on Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and a large concourse of friends followed the remains to their last resting place.

Going to Leave Ministry.

The following item from the Stevens Point Gazette may be of interest to people in this city who are acquainted with the gentleman:

"Rev. A. G. E. Jenner will hold farewell services at the Episcopal church next Sunday, and sometime during the coming week he and his family will leave here for their former home at Ashland. The reverend gentleman has not as yet definitely decided upon his future work, but it is likely that he will go into business at Ashland."

A Double Wedding.

T. J. Cooper's office was the scene of a happy occasion on Wednesday, Nov. 23d, when Miles Cornwell of Bancroft and Miss Olive Stevens of Plainfield, and Steve Stevens of Rice Lake, and Miss Pearl Clarkson of Plainfield were joined in wedlock by the justice himself, the notable event occurring at 5 o'clock p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Cornwell will reside at Bancroft and Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will make their home at Rice Lake. Both gentlemen are actively engaged in farming in their respective localities.

Woodmen Entertain.

The Woodmen of America held a social evening at their hall last Thursday, Thanksgiving day, and the members and their friends who were invited report a very pleasant time. There was dancing and a chicken chowder, and the fun was kept up until a late hour. Their hall was crowded with the merry makers.

Wanted.

Two good deputies to work in northern Wis. District for the Modern Brotherhood of America. Call or address, E. G. Howe, Dist. Mgr., Grand Rapids, Wis.

Secured the Limit.

Henry Ebert, Chas. Hofstater, Herman Cruse, and Fred, Andrew and John Mosher returned Monday from a two weeks hunt in the vicinity of Mercer bringing with them 12 fine deer.

Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Mary Simpson—"Everything disagreed with me and baby until I used Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Now baby sleeps and grows like a weed." 35 cents. Tea or teblet form. Johnson & Hill Co.

STEVENS POINT WINS.

Last Football Game of the Season Goes to Visitors.

The football season was closed on Thanksgiving day by a game between the the city team of Stevens Point and the city team of this place. The game went to the visitors by a score of 4 to 0, the score of the visitors being made by a drop kick from the field. The locals were outclassed in weight, but they made up in ability what they lacked in this respect. Some time was taken in arguing over decisions, but otherwise things passed off smoothly.

There was a good crowd in attendance and the general sentiment was that it was a good game. Following is the lineup of the two teams:

Grand Rapids		Stevens Point
Hays	c	Kruger
Berard	rg	Bulsla
Schoolcraft	lg	Brekka
Quick	rt	Loberg
Podawiltz	lt	Nelson
J. McCarthy	re	Shanks
M. McCarthy	le	Clark
Bolette	rh	Wisnelski
Fritzsinger	lh	Pasernaki
E. McCarthy	q	Eaton
Bandelin	f	Dealtus

Referee Schwede, umpire Bishoff.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

On Dec. 24, 25, 26 and 31, 1904 and Jan. 1 and 2, 1905 the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell round trip excursion tickets at one and one third fare for the round trip good to return to and including Jan. 3, 1905. For rates and other information please call on or address Geo. Anderson, Local Agent.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

Bargains in Cook Books

St. Catharine's Guild wishes to close out the edition of their cookbook, and in order to do so without delay they offer them at 50 cents each; former price 75 cents. They can be found on sale at the Wood County Drug Store.

An Appropriate Holiday Gift.

Grand Opera House

MONDAY, DEC. 5.

THE POWERFUL SCENIC SUCCESS

A ROYAL SLAVE

See the Great Tropical Palm Island by Moonlight. The Gorgeous Palace of the King. The Great Volcano in State of Eruption. Most bewildering display of Scenic Embellishments.

1—Carload Scenery Effects—1

30—CAST OF—30

A thrilling story of Love, Hate, Passion, Intrigue, Revenge, and Heroic Daring.

All music by Gordon & Bennett's attraction arranged and adapted by Harlan Davis.

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GRAND RAPIDS, - WISCONSIN.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The jurors at Paterson, N. J., in the case of William T. Richards and Ernest Heller, charged with manslaughter in having caused the wreck at Midvale July 19, in which sixteen people lost their lives, failed to agree.

Prince Carl Zu Hohenlohe Oehringer and Prince Johann Zu Hohenlohe Oehringen, who have been touring the United States, have returned to New York and will sail for Germany.

H. W. Shoemaker, secretary of the American legation at Berlin; M. K. Tatsuta, Japanese secretary of legation at Berlin, and Mr. Von Jean, German consul at Maracaibo, have arrived at New York.

The royal Italian commissioner to the Lewis and Clark centennial exposition, Chevalier Victor Zeggio, has sailed from New York for Italy, where he will gather a large art exhibit for exhibition at Portland, Ore.

A slight change for the better is noted in the condition of Carl Buenz, the German consul general at New York, who has been critically ill with pneumonia and the after-effects of an operation for appendicitis.

A proposition to institute a life insurance department for members of the National Grange is discussed by the Grange convention at Portland, Ore.

The general land office has ordered the withdrawal of 2,560 acres of public lands in the Walla-Walla, Wash., land district from all forms of disposal.

Langhorne Putney says that he never communicated to any member of his family in Richmond the fact that his brother, Stephen Putney, Jr., who disappeared in St. Louis, was in the hands of abductors. There is absolutely no clew regarding the boy's whereabouts.

By the explosion of the boilers in a cotton gin in Walters, a suburb of Vicksburg, Miss., West Smith and Henry Hebron, both colored, were killed and five persons were injured.

Machinist Samuel Massey and Master Mechanic Briggs were injured in a fire which destroyed the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad shops at South Memphis, Tenn. Loss, $50,000.

Engineer Benjamin Cunningham was killed and three other persons injured in a freight wreck on the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific railroad at High Bridge, near Lexington, Ky.

Lester Hoffmann, the 18-year-old son of W. W. Hoffmann, train master for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway at St. Louis, while hunting near Sedalia, accidentally shot off his right foot.

A conspiracy to defraud the United States out of thousands of acres of public lands by obtaining patents by false testimony as to residence on and improvement of homestead grants is charged in a case now on trial before the federal court at Portland, Ore.

Harry Wells, fireman on No. 17, was burned to death and Engineer A. De Gutro was badly hurt in a wreck at Hoxie, Ark., on the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railroad.

Miss Alice Roosevelt returned to Washington from a visit in New York.

Charles Frohman has engaged J. H. Barnes to produce A. W. Pinero's "A Wife Without a Smile" in New York about Dec. 16.

Heinrich Knote, the German Wagnerian tenor of Munich, has left Berlin for the United States under a four months' professional contract.

Charles E. Woodcock, rector of St. John's church of Detroit, Mich., has been formally extended a call to the Episcopalian bishopric of Kentucky.

At a meeting in St. Louis of the directors of the world's fair President D. R. Francis reported that no bills remained unpaid.

Lieutenant General Loewenfeld and Major Count Schmettow, the special envoys of the kaiser at the unveiling of the statue of Frederick the Great, bade the president farewell.

Mrs. J. O. Rust, widow of the late John O. Rust, has been elected president of Boscobel Female college in Nashville, Tenn.

John H. Hunton, Jr., former deputy sheriff, was arrested in Roseville, Ohio, charged with setting four fires in two days.

Because of a love affair, Hugh S. Webster, aged 28, a draftsman in the employ of a Camden, N. J., company, has committed suicide in Newport News, Va.

George Truesdell of Washington declined to act as trustee for the estate of Thomas E. Waggaman because of the mixed-up condition of Waggaman's affairs.

Charles Johnson, a life convict, who escaped from Sing Sing, was recaptured by a ruse, a bogus signal recalling searchers being blown to induce him to emerge from his hiding place.

A resolution suggesting Indian corn as the floral emblem of the national grange was passed unanimously at the convention at Portland, Ore.

Gov. W. Beekman Winthrop of Porto Rico and Mrs. Winthrop arrived in New York to spend the holidays in the United States.

The plant of the Foster Furniture company at Lafayette, Ind., burned; loss, $50,000.

The $1,500,000 gold coin shipment which the National City bank of New York had arranged to send to Cuba has been postponed.

William Hozack was accidentally killed by his son-in-law, Robert Forestel, at Peru, Ind.

City Marshal L. C. Hughes was killed at Mill Creek, I. T., and John Work, whom he was summoned to arrest on a trivial charge, was shot and fatally wounded.

Jim McManigal of Chicago was killed by being run over by a wagon load of lumber at Sterling, Ill.

Dr. E. Lasker, chess champion of the world, has been challenged for a championship match by F. J. Marshall for $2,000 a side.

Lena Herzoff, 4-year-old child of M. Herzoff, is dead from hydrophobia at Sioux City, Iowa. She was bitten by a house dog July 3.

Add Casey, son of ex-Sheriff Tom Casey, who was defeated in the Democratic primary for county judge, shot himself at Cynthiana, Ky.

Contributions aggregating $15,000 to the Irish parliamentary fund have been forwarded to Ireland from Boston by the United Irish league within a week. The amount included $12,000 from Philadelphia and $1,211 from Toronto, Ont.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Produce.

Butter—Creamery, extra, 25c; firsts, 21@23c; seconds, 16@18c; dairies, choice, 21c; firsts, 17c; ladles, 15c; packing stock, 12@14c.

Cheese—Full cream, daisies, 10½@11c; twins, 10½@10¾c; Young Americas, 10¾@11c; long horns, 10½@11c; cheddars, 10½@10¾c; Swiss, blocks, 10½@11c; drum, 11@12c; Limburger, choice, 10½@11c; brick, choice, 11@11½c; off grade, 6@9c.

Eggs—Fresh stock at mark, 18@22c; prime firsts, 26c; extra, (high-grade, packed for city trade), 29c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, per lb, 15c; young, 11c; chickens, fowls, Good weight, 9c; springs, 9c; ducks, 11c; geese, per doz, $8@11.

Apples—Michigan, in car lots, $1.00@1.75 per bbl; New York, in carload lots, $1.50@2.00 per bbl.

Potatoes—Car lots on track: Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, Burbanks, good to choice, 25@28c; extra fancy, 29@30c; rurals, good to choice, 25@27c; coarse, large, not well assorted, 23@25c; red stock, 25@28c.

Onions—Home-grown, Spanish, $1.45 per box; yellow, 75@80c per bu; red, 80@85c per bu; white, 80@85c per bu.

Broomcorn—Selfworking, common to choice, $45@75 per ton; No. 2 hurl, common to choice, $55@75; dwarf, $65@75.

New York Produce.

Butter—Firm; unchanged.

Cheese—Quiet; unchanged.

Eggs—Firm; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy mixed, 32@33c; western fancy selected, 30c; do, average, best, 28@29c; southerns, 20@29c; refrigerator, 18@22c.

Grain Quotations.

WHEAT.

Chicago—No. 2 red, $1.13½@1.14½.
New York—No. 2 red, $1.16⅜.
Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, $1.10½.
St. Louis—No. 2 red, $1.09.
Duluth—No. 1 northern, $1.09⅝.
Kansas City—No. 2 hard, $1.05½@1.07.
Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, $1.12@1.13.
Toledo—No. 2 red, $1.15⅞.

CORN.

Chicago—No. 2, 45½@46.
Liverpool—American mixed, 4s 9d.
New York—Mixed, 57½@58c.
Peoria—No. 3, 42½@44½c.
St. Louis—No. 2, 45@47c.
Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 45½@46c.
Milwaukee—No. 3, 56@58c.

OATS.

Chicago—Standard, 31½@31¾c.
Milwaukee—Standard, 31½@32c.

Live Stock.

CATTLE.

Chicago—$1.50@7.00.
Omaha—$1.25@6.25.
Kansas City—$1.50@6.25.
St. Louis—$2.00@6.25.
St. Joseph—$1.50@5.75.
Pittsburg—$2.00@5.50.
Buffalo—$1.75@4.85.

HOGS.

Chicago—$4.25@4.65.
Omaha—$4.00@4.60.
Kansas City—$3.75@4.65.
St. Louis—$2.75@4.60.
St. Joseph—$3.75@4.75.
New York—$4.00@5.10.
Pittsburg—$2.00@4.75.
Buffalo—$2.00@4.70.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Chicago—$1.75@6.00.
Omaha—$1.60@6.00.
Kansas City—$1.50@6.00.
St. Louis—$3.00@5.85.
St. Joseph—$2.25@6.00.
New York—$2.00@6.50.
Pittsburg—$2.00@6.15.
Buffalo—$1.50@5.75.

The steamer City of Seattle, bound from Juneau to Skagway, went ashore at Eagle river. No lives were lost.

The steamer Jupiter, nine days overdue at Boston with a valuable cargo of sugar, was reported at Bermuda.

Stacy McDonald, restaurant-keeper at Coshocton, Ohio, was arrested, charged with the murder of Joseph Jennings.

Vice President Ramon Corral of Mexico, accompanied by Jose Munoz, subsecretary of the treasury, and Gen. Canana, governor of Sinaloa, passed through El Paso, Texas, en route to Mexico City, after a visit to the United States. Mr. Corral said the relations of the United States and Mexico would gradually become closer.

Mike Gorman, Charles Franklin and Dan Collins, three bricklayers, went to sleep on a slag pile near the Hanover oil mills, Memphis, Tenn. When found Gorman was dead of asphyxiation and the other two unconscious.

A naval court of inquiry composed of Rear Admiral Henry Glass, Commanders T. S. Phelps and B. F. Tilly has been appointed to investigate the recent grounding of the monitor Wyoming, Commander V. L. Cottman commanding.

The vacancy in the list of rear admirals created by the retirement of Rear Admiral Theodore F. Jewell will be filled by the promotion of Capt. Royal B. Bradford.

Six negroes held up a Pennsylvania express train and boarded it at Greensburg, Pa., but fled before an attack by the trainmen.

Roy L. Scott, the young student who attempted to cut the throat of Elsie Gallagher in Salt Lake City, Utah, was adjudged insane.

Briefs containing the arguments of counsel for Senator Joseph R. Burton of Kansas were filed in the United States supreme court.

Three children of Thomas Moran, living near Wayne, Neb., set fire to a barn in which they were at play and one was burned to death.

Prince Freiderich Carl and Prince Johann Heinrich Zu Hohenlohe-Oefringer of Germany, who have been visiting the world's fair, left St. Louis for New York city.

Thomas W. McGregor, clerk in the postoffice department, convicted of defrauding the government on a pouch contract, began his term of two years in the Maryland penitentiary.

Every idle coke oven in the Connellsville, Pa., region owned by the H. C. Frick Coke company will be put in full operation this week.

Thomas Powell was convicted at Pauls Valley, I. T., of the murder of Rufus Choat, a prominent farmer living near Nebb, two years ago.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad will build a $2,000,000 office building in Baltimore.

Baron Sternburg, the German ambassador, who was to have sailed for Germany some time this week, has postponed the trip until December.

Articles of incorporation were filed at Springfield, Ill., for the Chicago and Central Illinois Railway company.

Two large fish canning plants, one owned by L. D. Clark & Sons and the other by the Seacoast Canning company, were burned at Eastport, Me.; loss, $50,000.

Henry Hall, an English chemist, has presented a claim against Mrs. R. J. C. Walter of Philadelphia, daughter of the late William Weightman, alleging that he is the discoverer of a product from Peruvian bark through which large profits were made by her father.

The British Grenadiers' band, homeward bound from the St. Louis exposition, gave a serenade at Independence hall in Philadelphia.

Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia and Bishop Spalding of Peoria, Ill., paid their respects to President Roosevelt.

Among the president's callers were Charlemagne Tower, ambassador to Germany, and George Roosevelt, American consul to Brussels.

Sanford Williams, a farmer, of Johnstown, O., committed suicide because of grief over his wife's death.

A. F. Jaurett, formerly of Chicago, the American newspaper man ordered to leave Venezuela by President Castro because he opposed government politics, sailed for Porto Rico, and the representative of the American government at Caracas is investigating the expulsion

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.

"I'm tired carrying little Katrina."
"Why don't you give her to Aunt Gretchen or Cousin Fritz?"

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR NEWS

NOV. 22, 1904.

Russians Abandon Pass—Russians flee from Da Pass, near Mukden, on the advance of a strong force of Japanese. The Japanese are said also to be moving on Sintsintin. Daily clashes are reported between the armies on the Shakhe river.

Japs Occupy Fort—Tokio reports state that the Japanese have mined and occupied a counterscarp of a fort on Rihlung mountain, before Port Arthur.

Capture Blockade Runner—A German steamer, attempting to run the blockade with supplies for the garrison, was captured.

Sink Russian Ships—The Japanese sank three Russian destroyers in the recent sortie from Port Arthur. Only four men of the crews were saved.

Great Events Impend—Reconnoissance fights near Mukden are becoming more violent and great events are imminent.

Angers Russia—The American consul at Chefoo angers Russia by declaring the fall of Port Arthur is imminent.

NOV. 23, 1904.

Blames Japanese—Richard Harding Davis, home from the war in a pique, blames the Japanese for a dull time at the front.

Quiet Winter—Kouropatkin tells the foreign representatives at Mukden that there will be no battle until spring.

Picks Winter Quarters—Gen. Kodama says the Japanese army will winter in Port Arthur, and that he holds the citadel in his hand. The length of the siege depends on strategy, tactics and engineering.

Liberal Memorial—The Zemstvoist reform memorial to the Russian emperor will be presented to Prince Mirsky for delivery. There is no clew as to the outcome, and the leaders, while appreciating their personal peril, say they will keep up the movement.

Asks Another Squadron—A Russian correspondent asks that a third naval squadron of available warships be sent to Port Arthur.

Japs Lose Heart—Reports from Russian sources near Mukden say Japanese appear to be losing heart and their attacks are not as spirited as formerly.

NOV. 24, 1904.

Fleet Is a Bluff—Advices received in Washington from Japan state that the Japanese regard the Baltic squadron as only a "bluff" to force better conditions from Japan in peace negotiations during the winter.

Repulse Russians—A sortie by the Port Arthur garrison from the Keekwan forts was repulsed by the Japanese.

Russians Desert—Many soldiers are reported as deserting Stoessel, indicating demoralization in the Russian lines.

Japs Advance—Mukden reports increasing indications of a wide flanking movement by the Japanese to the eastward. The scarcity of fuel, fodder and water hampers the Russians, and the streams are frozen strong enough for a Japanese advance.

Big Battle Is Near—Indications of a forthcoming general battle near Mukden are reported to St. Petersburg.

Submarines for Japs—Submarine boats believed to have been built in the United States reach Japan.

NOV. 25, 1904.

Fight Is On—Serious engagements between the Japanese and Russian armies in Manchuria are reported, indicating that important operations may be in progress, though their nature is not yet disclosed.

Czar Plans Meetings—Semstvoist meetings in St. Petersburg are said to have been planned by the czar to pave the way for a constitution for Russia. The recommendations of the committee include franchise rights and the establishment of a legislative body.

Yacht for Czar—The steam yacht Margarita of the New York club, owned by Anthony J. Drexel, is said to have been offered for sale to the czar.

Hold Two Forts—The Japanese are reported to hold but two important forts at Port Arthur and these were taken in August.

Repulse the Japs—A Japanese attack on Lone Tree hill is repulsed with heavy loss.

Presages Activity—St. Petersburg thinks a lull in the news from Mukden presages important operations.

Kill Chinese Bandits—Cossacks killed 200 Chinese bandits who had Japanese officers and six guns.

Coal Reserve Burns—The Russian coal reserve burned at Port Arthur.

Garrison Is Starving—Stoessel's message to the czar, sent on the destroyer blown up at Chefoo, is said to have read: "The garrison is being starved out."

ALICE ROOSEVELT IN A WRECK

President's Daughter in Goelet's Auto When It Upsets.

New York special: It was reported that one of the passengers in Robert Goelet's big touring automobile, which, when it was overturned last Saturday at Cosob, Conn., was on the way to the Yale-Harvard football game, was Miss Alice Roosevelt. The other occupants of the car were Mr. Goelet, his wife and another, said to be Congressman Longworth. The chauffeur was driving at forty miles an hour, when the machine struck a stone and swerved so suddenly that he lost control. The auto dashed up an embankment and upset and the entire party had a narrow escape from being killed. The women had their gowns badly soiled by grease and earth.

CLOSES MINNIE HEALY MINE

Court Enjoins F. A. Heinze From Working Shaft in Dispute.

Butte, Mont., special: Judge Clancy has issued a restraining order preventing F. A. Heinze from working the Minnie Healy mine. The appeal from a decision of Judge Clancy awarding this mine to Heinze is now pending in the supreme court of Montana. By the closing down of the Minnie Healy 1,000 men will be affected. The injunction is based on the allegation that the Minnie Healy people are taking ore from adjoining properties belonging to the Amalgamated Copper company.

MUST GIVE BACK FRAUD MONEY

Court Compels Postmaster to Return Misapplied Funds.

Buffalo, N. Y., special: In the United States district court Judge Hazel, in the case of the government against Fred C. Nagle, former postmaster at Dunkirk, and his bondsmen to recover $2,492 alleged to have been illegally paid to John A. Link for services in the postoffice which it was claimed he had never performed, directed the jury to find a verdict for the government for the full amount and interest against Nagle. An exception was taken by Nagle's counsel.

Youth Is Acquitted of Murder.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, dispatch: James Seibert, 17 years old, was acquitted for killing John Nelson in September last. Nelson was said to have been a friend of Charles Carpenter, who attacked Seibert's sister, and the affair is declared to have mentally unbalanced the young slayer.

UNKNOWN KILLS A BARKEEPER

Follows His Victim Into the Woods After a Quarrel.

Terre Haute, Ind., dispatch: Will Crawford, 28 years old, a bartender, was shot through the heart and instantly killed by an unknown man, after a quarrel between the two. The shooting occurred in dense shrubbery on the west river bank, where Crawford was hiding because of threats alleged to have been made by the unknown man, who has disappeared.

Draga's Jewels to Be Sold.

London cablegram: The jewels and costumes of the late Queen Draga of Servia are to be sold at auction in London, Dec. 8. One of the articles to be sold is a bracelet presented by the czar as a wedding present.

Museum Trustee Dies.

New York dispatch: Gen. Louis Palma Di Cesnola, director and trustee of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, died suddenly from an attack of acute indigestion. He was 72 years old.

Seven Adrift at Sea.

Highland Light, Mass., dispatch: Two Lehigh Valley railroad barges, the Buffalo and Burden, from Perth Amboy to Boston, are adrift somewhere outside of Cape Cod with seven persons aboard.

Engine Strikes Trolley Train.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., dispatch: A trolley on the International railway was struck by a locomotive on a grade crossing and several occupants were severely injured.

GIDEONS HOLD STATE RALLY

Four Hundred Christian Traveling Men Meet at Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., dispatch: The Gideons of the state held a rally in Peoria Sunday, 400 Christian traveling men taking part. Over 200 delegates were present. E. A. P. Haynes of St. Louis, H. A. Collins of Havana, J. M. Dunseth of Urbana, G. F. Hargis of Decatur, Hartin S. Sheriff of Peoria and A. W. Hutchins of Chicago made addresses.

Vanderbilts at Harvard.

Boston, Mass., dispatch: Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr., are here at the bedside of Dimock, one of Mrs. Vanderbilt's two sons, who is a student at Harvard. The young man has been alarmingly ill.

Mystery in Shooting.

New York dispatch: Mystery surrounds the shooting of Arthur Proy in his manicure establishment. He claims an attempt at suicide, but is thought to be shielding a woman.

Girl of 12 to Marry.

Cumberland, Md., dispatch: Mrs. Maggie Barthalow of this city secured a license for the marriage of her daughter, Barbara Ellen Barthalow, aged 12, to Paul Diercks, a farmer, aged 29.

New World's Fair Ready.

Portland, Ore., dispatch: With the exception of the government and forestry buildings the principal buildings of the Lewis and Clark fair are practically completed.

SPECIAL BOARD SELECTS SITE

New Naval Training Station Will Be Located at Lake Bluff, Ill.

MEETS PRESIDENT'S APPROVAL

Secretary Morton Will at Once Take Steps to Acquire Title to the Property and Send Engineers to Prepare Plans.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The naval training station for the great lakes will be located at Lake Bluff. The special board appointed to select the site reported to the President Thursday morning, and approved it. Secretary Morton will proceed at once to acquire title to the land and send engineers to make plans for beginning the work.

Congress has appropriated $250,000 to purchase the land. It will not be needed for that purpose, since Chicago business men donate the acreage. If not, the Secretary of the Navy will report to Congress that the money may be reappropriated for expenditure in building.

The bureau of docks in the Navy Department prepared plans about a year ago, but Secretary Morton has not examined them. In fact, he has given practically no attention to the naval training station, because the selection of a site had been left to a special board appointed by the President.

Will Proceed at Once.

He said he would at once take steps to acquire title to the property and send engineers to make surveys and prepare plans for improving it. He will take up the plans prepared by the bureau of docks, and then report to Congress as to the need of appropriations to carry forward the work.

It is expected that Congress will pass the bill at the coming session. Secretary Morton will make such a recommendation, and hopes to be able to begin the construction very soon.

The report of the board was short. It recited the list of sites examined and unanimously recommended Lake Bluff "on its merits," confirming the selection of Admiral Taylor last year. The board then appended the offer of the Chicago business men, made through Graeme Stewart, and recommended that it be accepted.

This ends the controversy over the site for the naval training station. It will be near Chicago, as originally planned.

PREACHER STOPS A LYNCHING

Feeling Runs High in Roseville, O., Over Incendiary Fires.

Zanesville, O., dispatch: Three alleged incendiary fires occurred in the village of Roseville during twelve hours. The money loss is small, but the excitement of the residents reached a crisis when a crowd of men gathered in the center of the town, intent upon doing violence to two men, Kid Wilson, colored, and Charles Carnes, white, who had been arrested on suspicion. Rev. Luther J. Smith, the Methodist minister of the town, mounted a box and dissuaded the crowd from doing any unlawful act. The authorities believe they know who the firebug is, but deem it unsafe to take him into custody now, fearing violence of an extreme character, and they will wait until excitement passes away before making any more arrests.

TWO MEET HORRIBLE DEATHS

Proprietor of Mill and Employe Mangled in Explosion.

Robinson, Ill., dispatch: The explosion of the boiler in a saw mill a few miles from Robinson caused the death of Cyrus Culver, the owner of the mill, and Orris Bond, an emple. The force of the explosion carried Bond 200 yards. His head was torn off and his body mangled. Part of his clothing was found in the top of a tree. Otho Imboden was carried some distance away and received injuries which will prove fatal. The engineer, who was at work near the boiler, was carried a short distance and alighted uninjured on his hands and feet.

TRAIN RUNS INTO CORN FIELD

Wreck Is Caused by Some One Throwing a Switch.

Mobile, Ala., special: The Mobile and Bay Shore train due here at 7:25 p. m. was wrecked three miles from the city through some miscreant throwing a switch leading from the main line to a soap factory. The train ran some distance into a corn field beyond the end of the switch. The engine and first coach were wrecked, but all of the coaches remained upright and only two passengers and the fireman were slightly hurt. The escape from death and serious injury is considered remarkable.

BROTHERS AVENGE A SISTER

Head of Man Who Shot Missouri Girl Is Beaten Into a Pulp.

Mexico, Mo., dispatch: Thomas Spurs, who shot down Janie Burks, was pursued by her brothers when he attempted flight in the woods, overtaken, and killed. The brothers then took stones and beat the victim's head into a pulp. The shooting of the woman occurred during a quarrel over loaded dice. The woman is wounded in the head with buckshot and is not expected to live.

Favor Presbyterian Church Union.

Philadelphia, Pa., dispatch: The Philadelphia presbytery by a vote of 82 to 46 has decided in favor of the affiliation of the Cumberland Presbyterian church with the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

Attorney's House Is Wrecked.

Omaha, Neb., special: The home of Almer E. Thomas, a prominent lawyer of this city and attorney for the Civic federation, was badly wrecked by a bomb placed on the front porch.

Buy Sulphite Fiber Plant.

Detroit, Mich., dispatch: Granger Farwell & Co. of Chicago, bankers, purchased at bankrupt sale the plant of the Detroit Sulphite Fiber company in Delray. The purchase price was $300,000.

Eight Are Injured at Fire.

New York dispatch: Three women were probably fatally hurt and five firemen were injured severely in a blaze that destroyed two buildings in Brooklyn.

BLOW UP A BUILDING INTENDED FOR SALOON

Residents of Stockwell, Ind., Show Their Resentment When Court Overrules County Board.

Stockwell, Ind., dispatch: A bitter war against the saloon culminated here Sunday night in the wrecking of the building in which a saloon was to be opened. J. J. Guntle applied for license to sell liquor here, but the county commissioners refused to grant it. He appealed to the courts and the commissioners were overruled and the license granted. The action of the court caused a great deal of feeling, but it seemed that the people would submit, as no threats were made.

Sunday night, while the majority of the people were assembled in the Methodist church, there was an explosion that shook the structure to its foundation. Several of the windows were broken out and the people left the church in a panic and rushed into the street. It was found that the building in which Guntle was to open his saloon had been wrecked by the explosion, the entire front being torn out and blown across the street. Many windows a half block away were shattered and the saloon building was so badly wrecked that it will have to be torn down.

FRENCH CHOIR SINGER CHANTS SELF INTO JAIL

Ambition and Overstudy Dethrone Man's Reason and He Disturbs Services in Catholic Church.

New York dispatch: Ernest Surbley, who has been married a little over a year, is detained in the psychopathic ward at Bellevue hospital awaiting examination as to his sanity, following a dramatic incident at St. Patrick's cathedral in Fifth avenue.

Surbley is an expert woodcarver. Ambition and overstudy are given as the cause for his condition. In his boyhood he was a choir singer in a Paris church.

Surbley at 10 o'clock mass Sunday sat in the rear of the cathedral. The church was crowded. When the priests walked upon the altar and began to chant the service Surbley, in a clear tenor voice, followed the chant, and his voice could be heard above that of the altar boys and the priests. When asked to stop, Surbley continued chanting. A policeman was summoned and he was taken to Bellevue.

THROWS COAL OIL ON FLAMES

Blaze Catches Woman's Clothes and She Burns to Death.

Wabash, Ind., special: Miss Bessie Umpress, a niece of County Treasurer Cameron of Huntington, was burned to death. She was employed as housekeeper at the home of Dr. Crokey and about 7 a. m. went down to start the furnace fire. A few moments later piercing screams brought the doctor to the basement, where he found her clothing in flames. He extinguished the fire, but the woman was horribly burned. She was hurried to the hospital, where she died in great agony. The supposition is that she threw coal oil upon the smoldering fire.

GLANCING SHOT CAUSES DEATH

Wealthy Farmer Shoots at Rabbit and Slays His Son.

Fort Wayne, Ind., special: Henry Blessing, a wealthy farmer living six miles north of Fort Wayne, saw a rabbit near his barn. He got his rifle and started after it. His 10-year-old son, Henry, was playing near the barn, but not in the range of the gun. Blessing fired and killed the rabbit. The bullet struck a stone, glancing and penetrating the son's heart. He fell unconscious and died in his father's arms on the way to the house.

OLD BANK TO BE REORGANIZED

Heirs of Nicholas Ridgely Plan Continuance of Financial Concern.

Springfield, Ill., dispatch: A reorganization of the Ridgely National bank, one of the oldest institutions of the kind in Illinois, is to be made within a short time. The bank was formerly a private one, owned by Nicholas H. Ridgely, who died several years ago. Under the terms of his will it becomes necessary to dispose of the property now. It is understood that the heirs will purchase it from the estate at private sale and continue its operation.

INSPECT BADGER INSTITUTION

Georgians Will Study Methods Employed at Wisconsin University.

Atlanta, Ga., dispatch: George Foster Peabody, accompanied by Gov. Terrell, President Samuel Spencer of the Southern Railway company, and a party of forty-two have left for a trip of inspection to the University of Wisconsin at Madison. The object of the trip is to familiarize the governing body of the University of Georgia with the methods and progress of the Wisconsin institution.

ACCIDENT CAUSES A SUICIDE

Farmer Who Let Girl Ride to Death in Runaway Kills Himself.

East Jordan, Mich., dispatch: Merritt Moore, a farmer, aged 24, shot and killed himself after a runaway in which a 15-year-old daughter of Robert Duchane was killed. Moore had allowed the girl and her sister to ride on his wagon. When the team ran away one of the girls jumped, but the other was crushed when the wagon upset.

Sleepwalker Ignores Injuries.

Brooklyn, N. Y., dispatch: Falling from a window in his sleep, breaking three ribs and his right arm and then walking a quarter of a mile before being awakened, was the experience of Charles McCauley, 65 years old.

Thought Suicide Heroic.

Huntington, W. Va., special: Pearl, daughter of Oscar Jones, took carbolic acid and died, after telling her father that the suicide of Mrs. Fennessy of Cincinnati was a heroic way to die.

Signs Another Treaty.

Washington dispatch: An arbitration treaty between the United States and Germany was signed Tuesday by Secretary Hay and Baron Von Sternburg, the German ambassador, at the state department.

Big Imports From Japan.

San Francisco dispatch: So exceptionally large is the quantity of Japanese goods pouring into San Francisco that the custom house officials cannot handle the goods.

STATUE, GIFT OF KAISER, UNVEILED AT WASHINGTON

The bronze statue of Frederick the Great, presented to the American people by Emperor William, was unveiled at Washington Nov. 19 by the Baroness Speck von Sternberg, wife of the German ambassador.

The statue was presented on behalf of the emperor by his personal envoy, the German ambassador, who made a brief address. President Roosevelt made the chief address of the day and accepted the gift on behalf of the American people. Remarks were made by Lieut. Gen. Chaffee, chief of staff; Maj.-Gen. Gillespie, of the general staff, master of ceremonies; Lieut.-Gen. von Loewenfeld, one of the special commissioners sent to the unveiling by the emperor, and Charlemagne Tower, American ambassador to Germany.

Seldom has the national capital witnessed a more brilliant assemblage than was gathered on the grand esplanade of the army war college around the pedestal of the statue. Immediately back of the statue, on the president's stand, which was completely covered in red, white and blue bunting and decorated with American flags, sat the president and his cabinet, the German ambassador, the Baroness Speck von Sternberg, Lieut.-Gen. von Loewenfeld and Maj. Count von Schmettow, the emperor's special commissioners to the unveiling, and the entire diplomatic corps, all in full uniform.

On stands to the right and left of the statue were officers of the army and navy in full dress uniform, the members of the supreme court, members of congress, and other invited guests. Directly in front of the pedestal of the statue were grouped the members of the German societies from various parts of the country who came to Washington for the ceremony.

Within the gates of the army war college along the line of march to the esplanade were stationed the troops in attendance.

Early in the day Washington was alive with marching troops, and before noon mounted policemen gathered along the line of march. By 1 o'clock Pennsylvania avenue contained a steady stream of carriages filled with diplomats and army and navy officers, whose brilliant uniforms excited general attention and were the signal for the gathering of the crowds along the approaches to the war college. The president's flag was taken from the white house in the forenoon and placed in the custody of the commander of the Washington barracks, ready to be raised the moment the president's carriage was announced at the outer gates of the post. The diplomats, with the exception of the German ambassador and his staff, drove informally to the esplanade to await the arrival of the official escorts, which came in three groups. They arrived in inverse order of rank, the military group first, then the diplomatic corps, and lastly the presidential party, each under escort of a troop of cavalry.

THE STATUE

To troop A, Seventh cavalry, fell the honor of escorting the presidential party, which arrived about the route followed by the procession cavalcade. The presidential party left the white house in carriages at 2 o'clock in the following order: The president, the secretary to the president and the president's aids, Col. Bromwell and Commander Winslow, Mrs. Roosevelt and Maj. McCawley, the secretary of state, the secretary of the treasury, the attorney general, the postmaster general, the secretary of the navy, the secretary of the interior, the secretary of agriculture, the secretary of commerce and labor, the acting secretary of war and his aid, Brig. Gen. Story, and Mrs. Oliver and the Misses Oliver, escorted by Capt. McLain. As each party started, the escorting troops formed line and rendered the appropriate honors.

Two batteries of field artillery were stationed in the south battery of the post, and, upon the arrival at the gates of the several groups, fired the prescribed salute, Lieut. Gen. von Loewenfeld receiving fifteen guns, the German ambassador nineteen guns and the president twenty-one guns.

The firing of the president's salute of twenty-one guns had barely finished when his carriage reached the stairway of the war college terrace. The entire assemblage arose as he ascended the grand esplanade and remained standing until the master of ceremonies, Maj. Gen. Gillespie, had escorted him to his seat in the front row of the president's stand and directly to the right of the statue. The president's flag had been hoisted over the stand as soon as the first gun of his salute had boomed forth.

The official program began with the invocation of Bishop Satterlee, the bishop of Washington. Maj. Gen. Gillespie then addressed the ambassador. In closing he turned to Baroness von Sternburg, and, offering her his arm, escorted her to the base of the statue, where were fastened the silken cords attached to the American and German flags in which it was shrouded. Gripping the cords firmly, one in each hand, the baroness, with a tug, loosened the silken folds from around the figure of Frederick the Great. Straightway twenty trumpeters of the army, drawn up in front of the president's stand, sounded a blast of welcome, and the Marine band played the German national anthem.

Baron Speck von Sternburg made the address of presentation in behalf of the German emperor. He referred to the friendly feeling existing between Germany and the United States, and expressed the kaiser's hope that the sentiment would continue and grow.

Addressing Speck von Sternburg, the German ambassador, in his speech of acceptance, President Roosevelt said:

"In accepting the statue given us today through you from the German emperor, I accept it not merely because it is the statue of a mighty and terrible soldier, but I accept it as a symbol of the ties of friendship and good will which I trust as the years go on will bind ever closer together the American and the German peoples.

"There is kinship of blood between the two nations. We of the United States are of mixed stock.

"We have in our veins the blood of the Englishman and the Irishman, the German and the Frenchman, the Scotchman, the Dutchman, the Scandinavian, the Italian, the Magyar, the Finn, the Slav, so that to each of the great powers of the old world we can claim a more or less distant kinship by blood; and to each strain of blood we owe some peculiar quality in our national life or national character."

The Criminal Youth.

Students now recognize the hopelessness of the confirmed criminal and the tendency is to keep such locked up out of harm's way as much of the time as possible by means of cumulative sentences and the discretion of parole boards, which can be used against the ingrained criminal as well as in favor of the boy who is not fundamentally vicious, but only weak or ignorant, or hungry. The old theory was that punishment should be fitted to the offense, so many years of imprisonment for each grade of crime. The new system adapts it to the offender, with the purpose of keeping him from association with hardened criminals if he be young and of keeping him secluded from the possibility of harm once he becomes a confirmed "enemy of society." It is the application to penology of the proverb about about the ounce of prevention.

Stepped on Squirrel's Tail.

A gray squirrel was caught in a curious way recently by Harry Churbuck on the Capt. Demeritt farm in Madbury, N. H. Churbuck jumped over a pasture fence to drive the cattle home, and was surprised to find that his foot had descended on the tail of a fine large gray, which attracted his attention by his frantic efforts to get away. The squirrel was held down by the tail, while a lively effort was made to get a safe handhold on him. His unwitting captor finally succeeded, and carried Mr. Squirrel home alive.

Look Up Century Old Estate.

Henry A. Lefebvre of Nashua, N. H., with other heirs living at Suncook, is looking up an estate which they have inherited from a relative in Germantown, Pa. The dead relative went from Canada and died in Germantown in 1805, or ninety-nine years ago; and his estate has increased vastly. The bulk of the estate is in the form of a savings bank deposit which was made over a century ago, which amounted to $1,500 at the time, but which has increased to over $500,000.

Regular at Church Service.

Deacon Charles F. Thompson of Brattleboro, Vt., notes the fact that, owing to temporary illness, he missed communion service at the Center Congregational church Sunday for the first time in forty years.

Scorn.

Liz—You don't seem to care much for Tommy?

Mame—Him? I wouldn't have him for me steady if he could gimme an orchester seat every night.

Romance in Oyama's Life.

Marchioness Oyama met her husband, the famous marshal, under romantic conditions. Her father was one of the most powerful insurgent leaders in the rebellion of 1868. The chateau in which her family resided was besieged and held out long against the imperial forces. Eventually it was compelled to surrender and with it passed away the last stronghold of old Japan. When the chateau was taken over by the imperial troops, among whom was the present marshal, Mlle. Yamakawa, as the marchioness was then called, departed for the United States, where she resided for ten years. On her return to Japan she again met the marshal and became his wife. She now devotes all her time to the work of the Red Cross society and she is unremitting in her attention to the sick and wounded Russian prisoners.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew was established about a score of years ago by a Chicago banker, and has just held its nineteenth annual convention in Philadelphia. The Churchman says of the convocation that men to-day, as always, demand and respond to reality in religion. The society now embraces seven national organizations, seventy local assemblies, twenty-five hundred chapters and twenty thousand workers. The recent convention was the largest ever held, and was attended by more than two thousand delegates.

Post for Gen. Miles.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles is likely to become adjutant general of the Massachusetts volunteer militia as soon as Governor-elect Douglas is inaugurated. The incumbent, Gen. Samuel Dalton, who will resign, was appointed by Gov. Butler in the '80's. The change is believed to indicate a complete reorganization of the Massachusetts militia. The famous civil war veteran and Indian fighter will be at the head of the governor's staff of eighteen to be mustered in Jan. 2.

Prefers Law to Society.

Miss Mabel Carter, daughter of George M. Carter of Colorado Springs, Col., a wealthy mining man, will deny herself the pleasure of a social career to practice law, for which she always has had a liking. She will receive her diploma from the law department of Denver university next spring.

Helping the Cook.

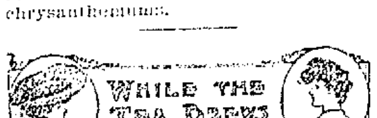
Boarding Mistress—What are those boarders grumbling about now?

Servant—They're roasting the beef

FOIBLES of FASHION

Lingerie Blouses.

Lingerie blouses are to be worn the winter through with tailored coats and skirts. They are really indispensable, for they are thin, taking up no room, and when mussed water and a hot iron restore them to an immaculate condition. They are, however, as expensive as the more elaborate silk and crepe bodices, as a greater number of them are required; but they are always fresh and spotless, and thus delight the dainty woman. In cut they are almost facsimiles of those worn during the summer, save that heavier laces are used, cluny, guipure and the lately revived crepon being favorites. These laces are used as insertion rather than in appliques, and in many of these blouses the lace is also elaborately embroidered in floral designs in plumetis stitch. One such blouse has its crepon lace embroidered across the front in chrysanthemums.



Gardenias are the chosen flowers for the trim little beaver hat.

Short crepes of wonderful color and sheen are an innovation.

Bracelets are fashionable again, the chain and bangle styles prevailing.

Little girls are wearing dainty white ruffled aprons again over their school frocks.

Such a pretty crepe de chine blouse is appliqued with pink velvet poppies and green buds.

Sables are particularly good with the brown tones so much affected in this winter's dress.

Given some chiffon and ribbons, and a simple frock may be made to blossom like a rose garden.

The new capes may not be trim looking, but one can't store two yards of dress material inside a little coat sleeve.

A wreath of gorgeous chrysanthemums in copper and yellow tones finishes the beaver hat with a copper broadcloth.

Dainty Dressing Gown.

A dainty dressing gown is a necessity for a woman of taste; it may be quite charming and elegant without losing its useful character. There was a time when there was little choice between the frivolous peignoir and the uncompromisingly hideous or gaudy striped garment, but in these days of beautiful and inexpensive fabrics there is no excuse for anyone to wear unbecoming colors. "Something serviceable" means to many people chiefly an absence of color. A deep, rich shade, however, looks clean and fresh much longer than a nondescript or dingy hue. The prevailing color of the bedroom should be taken into consideration when choosing a dressing gown. It is no more trouble to choose the right shade and secure a harmony in your room. A simple gown of fine serge or amazon cloth, with a border of galloon, is pretty and is very easily made.

Hoopskirts Coming.

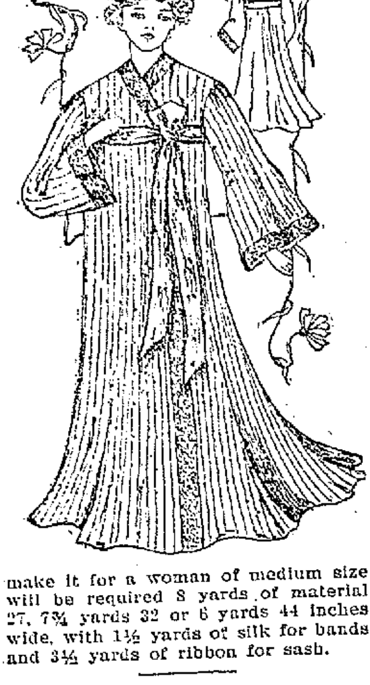
Walking skirts will remain short and full. There are those who hint at a lining of buckram in the hem, to be succeeded by whalebone, with possibly steel as a last resource. Between a steel-stiffened skirt and a crinoline there is little difference.

Full skirts will be worn also in those gowns that are intended for smart occasions, although the pleats and gathers will be more simply arranged than hitherto, while flounces and frills will be fewer in number.

In many cases, where soft fabrics like crepe de chine, velours and mousseline are being used, the skirts will be allowed to fall in long, straight folds from waist to feet, the bodices being also very simply but picturesquely arranged with full folds coming from the shoulders and crossing in front under a deep waist belt of soft silk or satin ribbon.

Brilliant Red and White.

No color is more attractive for the negligees of Oriental suggestion than bright red. This smart and novel kimono shows the color in stripes on a ground of white wash flannel and is trimmed with bands of Persian silk, in which is much red, and worn with a plain red sash. The style of the garment is peculiarly desirable and becoming and the Empire suggestion suits present styles to a nicety. To make it for a woman of medium size will be required 8 yards of material 27, 7¾ yards 32 or 6 yards 44 inches wide, with 1½ yards of silk for bands and 3½ yards of ribbon for sash.



Graceful Wrap.

A very graceful form of wrap which will be seen a good deal during the winter season is known in Paris as the pelisse Russe. It consists of a straight coat reaching about eight inches below the waist, below which it is put into deep folds. The seam between the skirt and body portion is hidden by a broad band of velvet, and the same decoration outlines the wide pagoda sleeves. The front is distinguished by long stole-shaped revers, which are richly ornamented with motifs of passementerie and cords and tassels, which also appear on the velvet epaulettes which head the sleeves. As a rule this particular style of coat is carried out in the richest velvet or satin and lined with white or delicately tinted broche.—Philadelphia Record.

Dutch Neck-Finishings.

A great many shirtwaists and shirtwaist suits are made with the round or Dutch neck. The neck is finished with a cording or with a little frill or ruffle. This is shirred around the throat and the waist is trimmed to match. For day wear these necks are never low enough to show the throat, but the whole of the neck is exposed. The fastening is quite simple, consisting of a little pearl button at the back and the effect is charmingly girlish.

For evening the neck can be a little rounder and slightly more inclined to reveal the lines of the throat and neck, but they should not by any means be low. With this style of neck the necklace, be it fur or feathers, or be it made of chiffon ruffles, is a necessity, and from the minute the first fall breezes blow it should be worn. The round neck in the street is only pretty in midsummer, not by any means in the fall and winter. The best finish is a little frill of lace or a narrow muslin ruffle, and if the gown be very nice the lace frill can be made of valenciennes lace or of any other fashionable lace, but the finish must be simple.

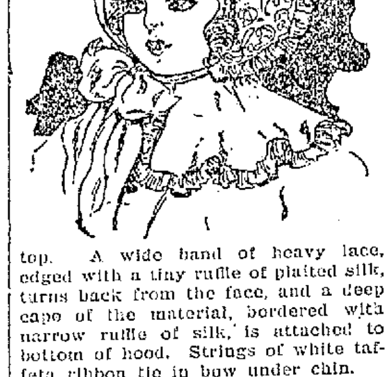
Match Your Cloak to Your Gown.

It is not always that a woman can match her cloak to her gown, but she can very often do so. Even when they do not match in color and in material they can be made to harmonize in other ways. The cloak can be cut so as to show off the trimmings on the gown, or it can be trimmed with the same kind of lace; or, perhaps, with fringe to correspond.

So much depends upon this preservation of the harmonies that a woman is wise who thinks first of harmony and afterward of color and material. It takes only a touch, just the slightest thing, to bring the two into keeping with each other.

Hood for Small Child.

Fashions for the wee ones are as exaggerated and varied as those of their elders. In hoods there is an endless variety. An odd but pretty model is white faille, and it may be readily copied at home. One piece of silk makes the hood, and where it joins a back forms a decided point on top. A wide band of heavy lace, edged with a tiny ruffle of plaited silk, turns back from the face, and a deep cape of the material, bordered with narrow ruffle of silk, is attached to bottom of hood. Strings of white taffeta ribbon tie in bow under chin.



Veils of the Moment.

The newest veil is called the "Melba," and looks more like an exquisite lace flounce than a veil. It is deep and wide and circular, and made mostly of Chantilly lace, with its flat, silky mesh and graceful patterns.

Some of them have the pattern of the edge repeated, in a smaller way, at the top of the flounce, just where it lies over the brim of the hat.

Chiffon veils—some of them—have scalloped edges and are appliqued with small velvet daisies. But their charm is the way they pull up on a drawing string and tie snugly around or over the crown.

Some of the prettiest automobile veils are double—a medium shade, with a lighter shade over it, and joined together at the top.

Another double veil has the inner veil embroidered in large dots and shirred up to fit somewhat under the chin, while the outer veil flows free.

A curious trick—it's new, too—is to have the veils made of changeable stuffs. The second color doesn't show definitely, but gives a little shimmering beauty note that is fascinating.

Furs as They Are Worn.

In winter furs perhaps the greatest novelty is the beautiful Japanese mink. A tiny coatee of this with huge sleeves cut half way to the wrist and finished with cuff and having undersleeves of lace and Japanese embroidery makes a very fashionable outdoor garment for winter.

In less expensive furs, dyed astrakhans, Persian lamb and Siberian squirrel are all in good taste, the latter especially harmonizing well with the fashionable brown tints of this season. The muffs are large, the larger the better, and they perforce are of the same fur as the coat.

Fox is to be very popular, especially white fox for evening occasions, while ermine and miniver make close seconds, and for those who cannot afford Russian sable, sable marmot is an excellent imitation.

For Daylight Wear.

One point that pertains to all costumes for daylight wear is the notable absence of a train to the skirt. The very best makers are showing gowns in all of the expensive materials with the skirt full and bouffant, either to clear or barely touch the ground, just as the wearer prefers. With the new skirts that are anywhere from six to ten yards around the hem the problem of "how to hold up four sides of a skirt at once and only two hands do it with," as a clever old lady expressed it, was one that is simply solved by doing away with the necessity for holding up the skirt at all.

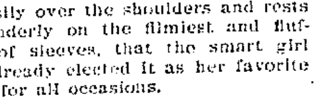
Neck Chains Galore.

This is the day of old jewelry. Even with the severest tailored gowns, strings of turquoise, pearl, jade, coral or colored glass beads are worn. One pays as high as $5 for a string of glass beads. These are supposed to be Venetian, but most of them are made in Providence, R. I., and other American cities. There is a green bead turned out in a Providence factory which rivals jade for translucence and tender coloring. Pink coral and white coral are in high favor.

Wraps and Hats.

In wraps the cape is far and away the favorite. Many and various are the modes and models in these, from the military cape, such as Uncle Sam's officers carry, to the draped shawl production that is lined with quilted and padded satin and covered with costly lace. The cape slips on so easily over the shoulders and rests so tenderly on the flimiest and fluffiest of sleeves, that the smart girl has already elected it as her favorite wrap for all occasions.

Hats and wraps, too, absorb an appreciable amount of fashionable attention, for over here we have not altogether taken up the English fashion of dispensing with a hat for evening wear. White is again the favorite for hats, but the dominant note of color is introduced in the ostrich plumes which often form the sole trimming.



Putting ground coffee to steep in cold water the night before will be found to result in economy and richness of flavor for the breakfast beverage. Enough coffee should be used to allow one tablespoonful for every cup and an extra one for the pot.

Sugar should be bought in small quantities as it dies and loses flavor if kept; raisins, currants and candied peel will not keep long. Vinegar soon loses its flavor if kept, and so does Lucca oil. Macaroni will not keep, and spice, pepper and roasted coffee, too, soon deteriorate.

Candies burn better and more slowly if they have been stored in a dry place six or seven weeks before being used. Soap will go twice as far if well dried. It should be cut into small blocks and these arranged in tiers with spaces between to allow them to dry.

Pleasing Styles in Coats.

The short basque coats and coats of moderate hip length will be found more generally becoming than the redingotes, and while not so new, are quite as fashionable. The short basque coats are, of course, fitted snugly at the waist and often belted or girdled; but though the general tendency is toward the coat fitted closely at back and sides if not in front, the sack coat has not disappeared and loosely falling coat models are numerous.

Materials for Blouses.

White silk, delicate batiste and the new linen fabrics, such as canvas batistes or canvas du fil, which is rather coarse and quite transparent, are much used in Paris for blouses. Chiffon taffeta in colors to match the coat and skirt make handsome but, of course, not washable blouses; this material crushes without wrinkling and is the most durable of the taffeta weaves.

Pretty Fancy in Blouses.

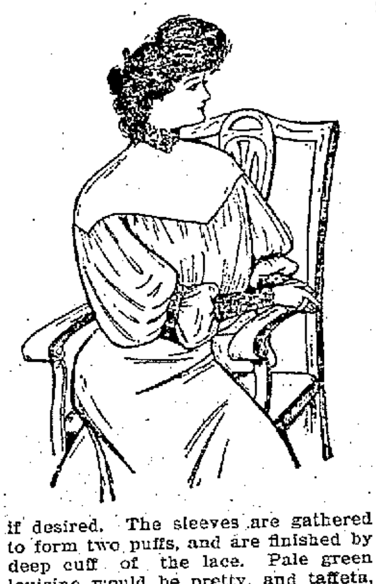
New blouses in Paris are made of alternate rows of ribbon and Russian lace. The ribbon used is only half the width of the lace employed, the latter being of mixed colorings. These are worn with skirts, the color of which matches the ribbon or the lace, and are worn over fitting silk underbodices or corset covers without yokes or sleeves.

Charming New Collar.

Here's the dearest little new collar just out—meant for a light silk blouse. It's not more than two or three inches deep and fits just around the turn of the throat. But the way it's made refuses to be set down in cold black and white letters. It is frills and fluff and tiny hints of roses and bits of the sheerest laces joined together like fairy work.

Ladies' Waist.

Ivory white crepe de chine was used to develop this attractive waist, with cuffs and collar of ecrue lace. It is made over a fitted lining, and the closing is in the back. A deep-pointed yoke that extends over the sleeve in drop-shoulder effect is a pleasing feature, and may be of all-over lace if desired. The sleeves are gathered to form two puffs, and are finished by deep cuff of the lace. Pale green louisine would be pretty, and taffeta, lansdowne and voile would all be suitable to the making. The medium size requires three and seven-eighths yards of thirty-six inch material.



Three-Quarter Length Coats.

All of the new tailor-mades boast the three-quarter length coats, and with these the skirt is generally plain, the coats being of the Directoire and Napoleon cuts. One style, with double-breasted front, has three shoulder capes of the cloth with raw edges.

Style in Evening Millinery.

White hats lead for evening wear, touched delicately with silver or gold or delicate colors. Some have cloudy pinks or blues introduced so skillfully as to be almost like mother of pearl or the softest sunset colors.

FARMER KILLS DITCH DIGGER

Owner Objects to Contractor Engaging in Work on the Sabbath Day.

ORDERS HIM FROM HIS FARM

Seeing His Father and Uncle Getting the Worst of the Ensuing Melee, Young Man Uses His Revolver and Slays Intruder.

Charlotte, Mich., dispatch: George Tubbs, one of the richest farmers in the country and one of the foremost stock breeders in this section, shot and instantly killed John Bouts, a ditch contractor. Bouts had the contract for digging the Nye drain, a large portion of which traversed the Tubbs farm. He had already completed 120 rods of the drain on the Tubbs property himself and two of his men started to work Sunday morning to complete the drain before cold weather.

Bouts had hardly unloaded his equipment when Levi Tubbs, father of George, ordered him off the place, objecting to his working on Sunday. At the same time he took hold of Bouts as if he intended to put him off the premises with force. Bouts resisted, whereupon the elder Tubbs struck at him with a club. Bouts escaped the blow and in taking the club tore the old man's finger quite badly. In the melee which followed the elder Tubbs received a blow on the head, inflicting a slight cut.

Goes to Brother's Aid.

Charles Tubbs, a brother of Levi, saw that his brother was getting the worst of the struggle and he stepped in to help him. Cecil Powers, an employe of Bouts, stepped in between Charles Tubbs and Bouts and received a stinging blow intended for the contractor.

George Tubbs, who up to this time had only been a spectator to the row, drew a revolver from his pocket, it is alleged, and fired twice. The first bullet missed, but the second passed through Bouts' right arm, entered his body between the sixth and seventh rib, going directly through the right oracle to the apex of the heart.

Bouts attempted to step forward, but dropped back dead in Powers' arms. His men put his body back in their wagon and drove to the Bouts home, about a mile distant.

George Tubbs telephoned to this city for Dr. L. F. Weaver to come out and dress his father's injuries. The doctor dressed the injuries on the elder Tubbs' hand, but paid no attention to the scalp wound, which he said was of no consequence. Sheriff Holladay was notified and at once placed George Tubbs under arrest for the murder. An effort will be made to secure bail for the prisoner. The family has unlimited means.

Bouts and the Tubbses had some trouble short time ago over the drain, they finding fault with his work. The family has figured in litigations for many years and Charles Tubbs was at one time arrested for assault. The prisoner is a bachelor.

Bouts was married and leaves a widow and two small children in poor circumstances. Hundreds of people have visited the scene of the murder and excitement is very high.

LEITER'S GUARDS ARE FIRED ON

Shots Exchanged, but Sheriff's Arrival Restores Order.

Duquoin, Ill., dispatch: Zeigler, Joseph Leiter's mining town, was fired on Monday night from without. The fire was hastily answered by Leiter's guards. No one is thought to have been injured. Sheriff Stein was immediately communicated with at Benton and responded with twenty-five deputies. The sheriff and his posse remained on duty till noon Tuesday, when the force was reduced to the sheriff's son, Deputy Sheriff Stein. United States Marshal C. P. Hitch and United States Deputy Marshal Barclay have gone to Zeigler to prevent a repetition of the disturbance.

CONVICTS MAY MAKE BOOKS

Indiana Labor Federation Favors Technical School for State Prisons.

La Porte, Ind., special: If the plans of organized labor of the state do not miscarry, the convicts in the two Indiana penal institutions will be employed after next June in the making of school books. The plan is also proposed of establishing a technical school where the convicts will be taught the various trades. The Federation of Labor is behind this movement, which has received the indorsement of Superintendent Whittaker of the Jeffersonville reformatory, and a determined effort will be made to secure legislation to this end at the meeting of the legislature in January.

BEER AT PICNICS IS UNDER BAN

Archbishop Farley Issues Order Concerning Parish Outings.

New York dispatch: Card playing for prizes and the sale of beer at picnics are prohibited hereafter as methods of raising money for carrying on the work of parishes under the jurisdiction of Archbishop Farley. One of the priests at St. Patrick's cathedral said that the archbishop has given strict regulations on this point and that he alone will consider when the restrictions may be removed.

Grand Duke to Marry.

Darmstadt cable: The betrothal is officially announced of the grand duke of Hesse, who was divorced from his cousin, Princess Victoria of Saxe-Coburg, in 1901, to the Princess Elelanor of Solms-Hohensolms-Lich.

Death of Federal Court Clerk.

Topeka, Kans., dispatch: Frank L. Brown, clerk of the United States district court and for many years a prominent Kansas politician, is dead here of typhoid fever.

Sermon by Long Distance.

Philadelphia, Pa., dispatch: Rev. R. H. Conwell of Temple church is arranging so that a former member of his congregation now in Chicago can hear his sermons by telephone as delivered.

Lives to 107 Years.

Tacoma, Wash., dispatch: At the age of 107 years, Mrs. Julia Zounski, probably the oldest white person on the coast, is dead at St. Joseph's hospital.

AS THE WORLD REVOLVES

DEPEW'S WARD SEEKS DIVORCE.

Countess Czaykowski, Formerly Miss Edith Collins, Brings Suit.

The divorce case of Countess Czaykowski, formerly Miss Edith L. Collins of New York, a descendant of Commodore Vanderbilt and ward of Senator Chauncey M. Depew, which is on trial in Paris, has aroused much interest. The countess was married about eight years ago to Count Czaykowski, secretary of the Turkish legation at The Hague, who was known also as Rechid Bey, and as a diplomat was high in favor in the Orient. Until the suit for divorce was brought nothing was known of any trouble between the couple. The principal contention in the court proceedings is over the custody of the children, the count making a hard fight to retain control of the little ones. The countess is a great-granddaughter of the founder of the Vanderbilt fortunes, and shortly after she made her debut her engagement to Senator Depew, her guardian, was rumored. She met her husband abroad, where she has lived since her marriage.

COUNTESS CZAYKOWSKI

WISE STATESMEN OF MEXICO.

Early Foresaw Results of Japan's Rise to Power.

It is suggestive to consider the relations of Mexico to the new power in the far East. Mexican diplomacy early made a notably liberal treaty with Japan, and that convention has been followed by a treaty with China. In a word, Mexico with great sagacity prepared the way for useful relations with the rising powers across the Pacific. One can imagine many new conditions in the Pacific ocean thirty years hence; Japan, with a powerful fleet, will insist on keeping a balance of power there, and China, led by Japan, will reinforce this demand. The friendly Oriental nations will desire the prosperity and independence of Mexico, a nation with a racial basis similar to theirs. Mexico opens her doors to Oriental immigration, because she needs labor, and can assimilate the Asiatics better than the northern nations of the continent. Thus a new link is forged in the great chain which wise diplomacy began. It is well that Mexico should extend her friendships, that she should enlarge her circle of relationships. She has her own destiny to work out.—Mexican Herald.

Investigating Pneumonia.

The movement for the study of pneumonia which has been started under the auspices of the New York Department of Health must be regarded with profound satisfaction. The malady in question has increased in prevalence during the last few years, and is now a close rival of tuberculosis in the mortality it causes. Its victims are almost invariably men and women who have previously been blessed with robust health and whose business and social activities are numerous. So rapid is the progress of the disease when it proves fatal that a career of usefulness is thus ended with lamentable and peculiar suddenness. Finally, despite the frequency with which pneumonia occurs in every large community, it is not so well understood as are several less common disorders.

Tracer Tells of Shell's Flight.

The artillery forces at Fort Riley are experimenting with a new shell fitted with what is known as the Semple tracer. This tracer is a small cylinder at the base of the shell, filled with a composition which is ignited by the discharge of the gun. In burning it traces the trajectory of the shell from the gun to the point of fall. It furnishes a quick means of determining range at night. Traveling at about 2,000 feet a second, the shells have the appearance of comets. At the point of the fall the tracer leaves the shell and shoots straight up into the air about 100 feet and then, turning all aglare, shoots to the ground like a shooting star over the spot where the shell strikes.

Eagle Captured by Dog.

The best eagle story that has been told for many a day comes from Dauphiny, Eng. At the village of Romans a farmer's dog was lying asleep when a large eagle swooped down upon it. Roused by the pain of the bird's talons in his flesh, the dog seized one of the bird's legs fast between his teeth, biting the limb through, and holding on until the bird was completely beaten and captured. When the farmer arrived it was too exhausted to fight longer for its life.

When Can Jackie Sleep?

Says Admiral Sir John Arbuthnot Fisher, first sea lord of the British navy: "In our future sea fights, with destroyers haunting us by night and submarines dogging us by day, the two chief requisites will be endurance and nerve. A machine has no nerves and never gets tired. In the Nelsonic days they could go to sleep at nights. When the destroyers arrived we settled to go to sleep by day. Now the submarine has come, you can sleep neither by day nor night!"

Ambassador Has Much Baggage.

Baron De Serovskerken, the Danish ambassador to this country, travels with enough impedimenta for an opera singer. On his arrival in New York the other day he brought with him half a dozen servants and seventy-three pieces of baggage.

Doing and Telling to Order.

"Henpeck tells his wife everything that he does."

"Yes, and he does everything that she tells him."—Illustrated Bits.

Wisconsin News

Choice items from over the state,
specially selected for our readers

NEW RAILROAD TO BE BUILT

Articles of Incorporation Have Been Filed With Secretary of State.

The Manitowoc, Green Bay & Northwestern Railway company, which is organized by officials of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company to build a road from Manitowoc to Eland Junction, Shawano Junction, with a branch to Gillett, Oconto county, has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. The estimated length of the road is 123 miles. Starting from a connection with the Chicago & Northwestern road at Manitowoc, the new line is to run in a northerly direction through Brown county to a connection with the Northwestern at Eland Junction, Shawano county. A branch from a point on the proposed line at Pulaski, Brown county, is to be constructed in a northerly direction through Oconto and Shawano counties to a connection with the Chicago & Northwestern road at Gillette, Oconto county. The capital stock is $25,000, divided into 250 shares of $100 each. The incorporators, with the number of shares of stock each hold, are: Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago & Northwestern road, as trustee, 245 shares; Marvin Hughitt, for himself, 1 share; J. M. Whitman, 1 share; W. A. Gardner, 1 share; M. M. Kirkman, 1 share; J. B. Redfield, 1 share.

FOR MORE GERMAN IN SCHOOLS.

Committee of State Teachers to Make This Report in December.

There should be "more German" in the high schools of the state. That is the basis of the report that will be made to the Wisconsin Teachers' association by a committee representing the language section of that organization. The question of extending the study of German in the high school course of the state will be the chief subject for discussion for the language section of the State Teachers' association at the coming session of that body in Milwaukee. The committee is as follows: A. R. Hohlfeld, Madison; F. E. Doty, Madison; B. Mack Dresden, Oshkosh; R. B. Dudgeon, Madison; Carroll G. Pearse, Milwaukee; A. D. Tarnutzer, Sheboygan; Elizabeth Waters, Fond du Lac, and A. W. Tressler, Madison.

Reception to Priest.

A farewell reception by the societies of Our Lady of Lourdes congregation to Vicar General P. J. Lochman at the armory at Marinette was attended by over 3,000. Twenty-two priests, from Green Bay, Oconto, Oconto Falls, Waupaca, Peshtigo, Menominee and Stephenson, were there. The Rev. F. X. Bartha of Stephenson presented to Father Lochman on behalf of the local societies a solid mahogany davenport and a large mahogany bookcase. George W. Hanley expressed the congregation's regret at Father Lochman's leaving, to which the priest responded feelingly.

To Build Sugar Factory.

Henry Otto, Edward McClusky and Edward T. Martner, mayor of Prairie du Chien, visited Janesville for a conference with the owners of the Rock County Sugar company factory. They have been in communication with Theodore Hapke, who built the Janesville factory, and claim to have been promised a $500,000 factory for their city if they could secure a sufficiently large acreage. Mr. Martner claims they have been promised the acreage.

Kenosha Invites Women's Clubs.

The members of the Kenosha Women's club are making a strong effort to secure the 1905 meeting of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs. Kenosha is directly in line for the meeting, as the executive committee has decided that it shall be held in the southern part of the state next year.

Death Follows Wedding.

Within an hour after witnessing the marriage of a granddaughter and while making merry with the rest of the guests at his home in honor of the event, Frank Pabela, of LaCrosse, was stricken with paralysis and expired instantly.

Says Officials Play Checkers.

Thomas Marshland, supervisor from the town of Burlington, charged in the Racine county board that the county officials played checkers most of their time.

Chief of Almshouse.

The Racine county board of supervisors elected James H. Hankinson superintendent of the Racine county poor house.

Kilbourn Man Shoots Himself.

Mortle Sunderland of Kilbourn accidentally shot himself while hunting. There is no hope of his recovery.

Badger Is Robbed in Liverpool.

Graham Galbraith of Janesville, son of Alexander Galbraith, leading importer of Clydesdale horses in Wisconsin, has cabled his father that he was robbed of his trunk and other valuables on the docks at Liverpool.

Petroleum on Streets.

George S. Parker, a leading automobilist of Janesville, is experimenting with crude petroleum oil as a means of laying dust on the streets. The soil packs solid like macadam and is impervious to moisture.

Student Pleads Guilty.

Joseph Terry, the young university student arrested at Madison for robbing fellow student roomers, pleaded guilty to a charge of petit larceny and was fined $25 and costs. His father paid the fine and took his son back to their home at Crandon.

Goes to Montana University.

Charles M. Barber, a teacher in the Kenosha high school, received notice that he had been elected to the post of professor of history in the University of Montana.

Janesville Circuit Court.

The November term of the circuit court opened in Janesville Monday. Among the cases on trial on the criminal court calendar is that against John Condon, a 14-year-old boy, who is alleged to have shot a companion named Griffin last spring while under the influence of liquor.

Creamery Is Destroyed.

Fire destroyed the creamery of John Kess at Beloit. The loss was $4,000 and insurance $3,000 in the Township Mutual company.

DOG KILLS HIS YOUNG MASTER

Canine Steps on Trigger of Gun as Boy Crawls Through Fence.

In a strange and peculiar manner a hunting dog caused the death of William Weiler, aged 14, son of Jacob Weiler, a well-known farmer of the town of Burlington.

Young Weiler and a number of companions were out hunting rabbits. When a barbed wire fence was reached Weiler lay his gun under the fence, leaving it cocked. One of his friends held up the wire so he could crawl under. Just as he got through a dog came running up, struck the trigger of the weapon and exploded it, and the entire charge of shot struck Weiler over the heart, tearing his breast open and killing him instantly.

The boys with him gave the alarm and the body was removed to the home of his parents.

This makes the third fatal accident in Burlington within six weeks to boys engaged in hunting, and all were crawling through fences. Robert [illegible], assistant superintendent of the electric light works, had his [illegible] lacerated, and Clifford [illegible] was shot through the side. The former was killed instantly, and the latter is in bad condition.

HONOR CLUB WOMAN.

The rejoicing that there has been among the club women of Oshkosh at the election of Mrs. E. P. Sawyer to the presidency of the State Federation of Women's Clubs took a concrete form when a program in special recognition of the elevation of Mrs. Sawyer was held at the club house of the Twentieth Century club, of which Mrs. Sawyer is president also. Mrs. Sawyer is the wife of E. P. Sawyer, son of the late United States Senator Philetus Sawyer, and at the head of the company that controls the gas and electric lighting interests of the city. Mrs. Sawyer has had much experience in club work and her present term as president of the Twentieth Century club is her third. She was also the first regent of the Oshkosh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, which chapter she organized. She is a charter member of the Society of Colonial Dames, and last, but not least, is a charter member of the Order of the Crown, the only order in America that Queen Alexandra recognizes and whose members may be admitted to the British court. Mrs. Sawyer is entitled to membership in the order by the fact that she is a lineal descendant of Charlemagne and of Alfred the Great.

Raise Price of Land.

The special commission appointed by the court to appraise the strip of land secured by the state board of control for the reformatory, located at Green Bay, has fixed the value at $15,000 or $187.50 an acre. The land is owned by George G. Greene of Green Bay and Charles E. Vroman of Chicago. The legislature two years ago appropriated $150 an acre for the purchase of additional land. As the award is greater, a special appropriation will have to be secured.

Lawyer Seeks Pardon.

Gustav Marx, Milwaukee, who was convicted and sentenced for attempted subornation of perjury, desires to secure a pardon, cease the practice of law and leave the state. His attorney, Clinton G. Price, of Milwaukee, appeared at Madison to present the matter to Governor La Follette. The application for a pardon was presented some weeks ago, but no action has been taken. Mr. Price is endeavoring to secure a full hearing.

Uses Sleeves to Hide Plunder.

Anna Ehrke, a domestic in the employ of H. H. Rogers of Appleton, was sentenced to four months in the county jail for larceny. Big sleeves in her jacket were used as receptacles in which to carry articles from the house.

Gets 30 Cents a Day.

Peter Nelson, a former supervisor, has been elected supervisor of assessors of Racine county for a term of three years, by the county board, the salary being 30 cents a day, as the board members claim the office is of no value to the county.

Pleads Guilty to Assault.

James Kerwin, charged with attempting to assault Mrs. Gray, of Beloit, pleaded guilty at Janesville and was sentenced to four years in Waupun.

Northern Editors to Meet.

The annual meeting of the Northern Wisconsin Press association will be held in Barron Dec. 13 and 14. A program of unusual interest is being prepared, and Barron will arrange to entertain the visiting newspaper men in handsome style.

To Issue Asylum Bonds.

The Racine county board of supervisors has decided on the issuance of $100,000 insane asylum bonds, to run fifteen years from 1907, interest not to exceed 4 per cent.

Sugar Plant for Caledonia.

The plans have matured for a $600,000 sugar beet factory to be built in the town of Caledonia. Louis Velters and Joseph Stehlik, the promoters, state that 300 farmers have signified their intention to grow sugar beets. To keep the factory in operation it will require from 2,500 to 3,000 acres.

Educator Dies of Injuries.

Prof. J. Piperal of Honey Creek has died of injuries received while alighting from a train. He was 72 years old and active in educational circles.

MAY STOP COUSINS MARRYING

Sensation in Kenosha Over the Ruling of Chicago Court.

Some attention has been caused in Kenosha by the decision of Judge Dunne of the circuit court of Chicago that the marriage of first cousins in Wisconsin was "voidable." The decision came in connection with a divorce suit in which the wife asked to have a Wisconsin marriage annulled for the reason, as she alleged, that it was contrary to the state laws of Illinois. Records show that there are more than 200 marriages in Kenosha in which the contracting parties are first cousins and the decision of the Chicago judge may have an unhappy [illegible]. [illegible] Attorneys in Kenosha say the ruling of the Chicago judge is contrary to the provisions of the constitution of the United States and the decisions [illegible] by the higher courts of the state of Illinois. It is thought that the marriages of Chicago people in Kenosha will be [illegible] away with.

FIRE RAGES AT TWO RIVERS

Heavy Wind Carries Brands and Town Has Narrow Escape.

The fire [illegible] of Two Rivers [illegible] a swath [illegible]. It destroyed the Two Rivers Manufacturing company's [illegible] and [illegible] by a [illegible] the factory [illegible] several times, while many other buildings were threatened. [illegible] tornado [illegible] the fire.

Then sparks set fire to the old saw mill four blocks away, leaving the intervening buildings intact. The mill, an old landmark, which covered nearly a block, was completely destroyed.

The excellent service of the fire department saved the [illegible] factory, sixty feet away. Manitowoc was called upon for assistance, and rendered good service with one engine.

It is thought the fire was caused by a spark. The dry kiln was filled with staves and these flew in great embers all over the city. Many cords of staves in the yards also were consumed. There was no insurance on either the dry kiln or the sawmill.

Steal Beer Signs.

A half dozen beer signs were stolen from Appleton saloons and unless they are returned the owners will demand the arrest of many Lawrence university students, who are said to have been seen stealing the signs. Two years ago university students were caught in this trick and several paid fines in a justice court.

Free Libraries for Dane County.

The Dane county board of supervisors has adopted a resolution establishing a free traveling library system for the county and appropriated $500 for the maintenance during the first year. The system will be started with twelve libraries, and the number will be gradually increased from year to year.

Trouble Piles Up.

W. C. Landreth, who was arrested in Beloit, charged with having tried to pass a forged check on a Janesville hotel, was dismissed at Janesville and rearrested by Sheriff Lane of La Crosse and taken to that city, where he will be tried for the alleged forgery of a $50 check.

Nearly Killed by Bull.

William Rather, a farmer of Calumet Harbor, had a narrow escape from death on the horns of an angry bull in his barnyard. He was badly injured, the horns of the animal piercing his left arm and body, and three of his ribs and his breastbone was broken.

Await Opinion From Germany.

Hermann Glettler, the 4-year-old son of a noted German surgeon, had his feet crushed by a street car while visiting Sheboygan. Photographs showing his injuries were taken and rushed to Germany to secure the father's approval of the amputation of both feet.

Man Is Decapitated.

William Berg, a farmer who lived three miles north of Chilton, was killed while attempting to board a rapidly moving southbound freight train at Chilton. His head was completely severed from his body.

Woman Inhales Coal Gas.

Mrs. F. A. Lindsley of Green Bay was found unconscious from inhaling escaping coal gas in her room. She was revived with difficulty.

Becomes Aid to Principal.

S. W. Murphy, a graduate of the Oshkosh Normal school, has been selected as assistant principal of the Kenosha high school.

Gives Kisses for Fee.

Seize the justice firmly about the neck and give him three hearty smacks and he will remit all fees, if you are a comely young woman, as is the sister of T. J. Rennert of Sheboygan. Rennert's wife had had her husband arrested for abandonment, but changed her mind in court and asked that the case be dismissed. Justice Ostholder demurred on the ground that he would lose his fees, and the sister of Rennert acted according to the above recipe. Then the judge called it square.

Puts Wires Underground.

Half a hundred laborers started excavating at Green Bay for the conduit system to be installed by the Valley Telephone and Telegraph company, the independent company recently granted a franchise there in opposition to the Bell.

Boy Jumps From Train.

Fourteen-year-old Matt Nelson of Union Grove lies at the home of his father in an unconscious condition and is expected to die, as the result of jumping from a train.

Falling Tree Kills Man.

Ole Foss, aged 22 years, was instantly killed near Cable by the limb of a tree he was felling. His skull was fractured.

To Build Masonic Temple.

All of the Masonic bodies in Fond du Lac have approved of the proposition for the erection of a Masonic temple.

Debs Does Not Speak.

A large audience gathered Tuesday night at Whitewater to hear Eugene Debs, but the speaker failed to appear.

Men Growing Weaker

Strenuous Life Is Using Up Their Vital Forces and Energy Faster Than Nature Replaces Them.

As a result many are being stricken with paralysis, locomotor ataxia, and nervous prostration. To overdo anything is harmful, and a continuation of it will wear out the strongest man. Overwork, worry, brain-tire, high living, dissipation and other excesses and abuses waste away the most vital elements of the blood, brain and nerve forces, and disease sets in. At first there will be a general indisposition, poor appetite, indigestion, severe headache, wakefulness and weakness in the back and spine, the temper irritable, the spirits depressed, the memory poor and the mind weakened, ending in premature decline or decay. Dr. Chase's Blood and Nerve Food is composed of the same elements that have been wasted and worn out in the blood, brain and nerves. By making new blood it turns weakness into strength and forces new life and the vigor of youth into every portion of the body, restoring the patient to perfect manhood. Weigh yourself before taking it. Price 50 cents.

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Thanksgiving Festival.

"The harvests are gathered,
And great is the yield
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Of vineyard and field.
So here's to Thanksgiving!
May everyone dine
On the fat of the land
And the fruit of the vine."

Wednesday last, marked the first annual festival of the Ladies' Aid society of the West Side.

At a former meeting a motion was made and carried to make the day before Thanksgiving an annual festival day and arrangements were made accordingly.

The home of Mrs. O. Denis was decided upon as being just the place to hold it, as for many years past the society has met there upon this day.

As the members assembled they were met by Mrs. Denis who, in her usual friendly manner, gave them "the keys of the house."

After the usual order of business the following program was rendered:

Song — Blest be the Tie
Society Roll Call
Each lady responding with a sentiment in keeping with the occasion.
Song — Shells of Ocean
Mrs. J. Brossoit
Reading. — The Pilgrims
Reading — Dining in Style
Mrs. J. W. Rockwell
Reading
The Lament of the Turkey's Ghost
Mrs. A. G. Otto
Reading An Olden Time Thanksgiving
Mrs. Dennis (with candle in hand)

At the close of the program the ladies were given slips of paper and asked to guess the following Thanksgiving Menu:

Soup—What a ship sometimes springs. Leek.
Fish—All colors combined. White Fish.
Roast—A red hot bar of iron. Pig.
Vegetable—To steal mildly. Cabbage.
Game—Chinese English. Pigeon.
Fowl—Country in Europe. Turkey.
Frozen dainty—A berry and a thrust with the fist. Cranberry Punch.
Relish—Dreadful predicament. Pickles.
Pudding—Mantle of Winter. Snow.
Cake—Brightest of all. Sunshine.
Fruit—A church dignitary and a fruit. Elderberry.
Wine—An island in the Atlantic. Madeira.

Mrs. Minnie Palmatier secured the prize. A large pumpkin on which was written:

A pumpkin! Yes 'tis all for you,
Make haste and put it on to stew,
May your pies be like gold with a very fine bake,
The kind that mother used to make.

Amusing pantomimes were carried out, causing peals of laughter and rousing applause. These consisted of articles of food to be found on a Thanksgiving table.

Turkey, cranberry sauce, potatoes, fish, pumpkin pie, coffee, cream, apples and nuts. For instance—"Turkey" carried out by Mrs. Dennis, who caught, picked, dressed and roasted the kingbird of the coop, executed in a manner showing her to be proficient along these lines.

A bowl of wet pumpkin seeds were placed on the table letting those who wished compete by putting their hand and pulling out a handfull, the prize going to the biggest grabber. The prize was a china pig with a slip attached upon which was written "Just a pig, that's all." Mrs. Smart was the unlucky winner, stating that she was glad to know in just what light the society hled her.

A good old time Thanksgiving supper was served not barring out molasses candy.

The meeting closed by singing that old patriotic air, America.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

School is going on in the same old way after our Thanksgiving vacation.

The returns from examinations are satisfactory in most cases.

The following program was rendered at the "Laurel" Monday evening:

Recitation—Cassie Canning.
Recitation—Minnie Witte.
Music—Nellie Saltery.
Newspaper—Editor Irene Gilkey.
Ass't. Editors—Leola Carey, Elsie Baruch.

Preparations are going on for a farce entitled "The Mouse Trap," to be given in the assembly room Dec. 16. The school is trying to get the Athletic Association out of debt. The proceeds from this entertainment will be applied for that purpose.

Some of the 8th grade and Freshman boys are preparing an Indian Club drill for the night of the fare.

The open meeting of the "Laurel" a week ago was certainly excellent throughout. All who took part were carefully prepared. The society intends to have another such meeting in the near future, for their friends as well as for the school.

Dec. 9th the girls' basket ball team are going to have a game with the Stevens Point High School girls. Be sure and come if you wish to see something worth the money.

A Runaway Bicycle.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

Jubilee Services.

A forty hours devotional service is in progress at the Catholic church in this city, being held for the purpose of giving the parishioners the opportunity of gaining the jubilee indulgence granted on account of the 50th anniversary of the proclamation of the emaculate conception by Pope Pius the 9th.

Among the visiting priests present who assist in the services are Father Van Sever of Rudolph, Father Selbach of Oconto, Father Feldman of Nekoosa and Father Gasper, dean of St. Mary's church at Wausau.

The services commenced at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning by the celebration of High Mass by Dean Gasper, Father Selbach acting as deacon, Father Feldman as sub-deacon, and Father Hugenroth, pastor of the local church, as master of ceremonies. Father Selbach preached a sermon last night, choosing as his subject, "Indulgences." Father Feldman delivered a German sermon this morning, subject, "Mary, Mother of God," and Father Van Sever will deliver a sermon in French tomorrow morning. The services will conclude tomorrow evening by a sermon by Rev. Hugenroth of this city. The services have all been largely attended.

Death of Fred. Bunde.

Frederick Bunde, one of the old settlers of Grand Rapids, died at the home of his son, A. L. Bunde, on Monday afternoon. Cause of death was diabetes. Deceased was 70 years old and a native of Germany, but had been a resident of Grand Rapids for the past twenty-three years.

He is survived by three sons and two daughters, they being Fred Bunde of Sand Point, Idaho, Charles Bunde and A. L. Bunde and Mrs. L. J. Peyruse and Mrs. F. P. Shafer of this city.

The funeral occurs on Thursday at 2 o'clock p. m. from the Lutheran church on the west side, Rev. Baum officiating.

NEKOOSA.

Mrs. M. Sayre went to her old home in Indiana last week to spend Thanksgiving.

Emery Taylor has returned from his hunting trip at Bruce.

The first number of the entertainment course was given Monday night by the Tyroleans. Those who missed this missed a rare treat for every number was excellent. It is hoped that each succeeding number will be greeted by as large a crowd as attended Monday night, then instead of having a deficit to meet, the committee may have a fund for future entertainments.

Clyde Herrick, who is attending business college at Wausau spent Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Mrs. H. E. Fitch and Martha Ree returned from their visit to the world's fair Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn of Chicago have been visiting at Mr. Mogg's. Mrs. Llewellyn is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mogg.

Mabel Burroughs is quite ill at present.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

All returned to school Monday after three days of vacation.

Miss Vinnie Witte and Miss Nettie H. Walker entered school Monday.

Miss McCarthy, Miss Evens, Miss Deyo and Miss Drager did substitute work Wednesday afternoon.

Reports of the substitute work and also of observation work by other pupils, were given Monday afternoon for opening exercises. Training school students are urged by the faculty to visit county schools as often as possible and so get into close touch with the work before the work of teaching begins in earnest.

Baptist Buy Property.

A deal was closed today by which the Baptist congregation of this city come into possession of the lots on the corner of Maple and Front streets formerly owned by Dr. Chas. Pomainville. They have sold their lots on the hill next to Dr. Looze's property to Herman Wipperman. The Baptists expect to commence the erection of a church edifice in the spring, and they now have a very nice site for their structure.

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Meeting of Public School Teachers

The third monthly meeting of the Grade and High School Teachers of the Grand Rapids Public Schools was held Friday afternoon, November 18, in the drawing room at the Lincoln building. Thirty-two teachers were present.

The aim of these meetings is to secure more active interest and cooperation of the teachers in their work thru general discussions of school problems, and consideration of certain books. The book considered at the last meeting was "Mistakes in Teaching" written by J. L. Hughs, former superintendent of the schools of Toronto, Canada. The discussion was led by Supt. H. S. Youker. The subject grouped itself about these three general heads: mistakes in school management, discipline, and method. Many suggestive and instructive points were brought out.

It is a well known fact that in no profession, does a person stand still. He either advances or fossilizes. These meetings will do much to insure the steady advancement of Grand Rapids as an educational center.

These monthly discussions will be continued throughout the school year. The next meeting will be held in December.

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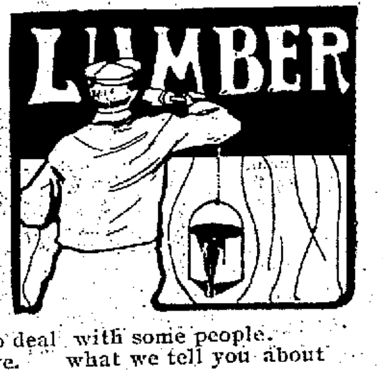

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TABULAR STATEMENT

Of the votes given for County Officers and Members of the Legislature at a general election held in the several Towns, Wards, Villages and Election Districts in the County of Wood, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, A. D. 1904, being the eighth day of said month.

PRECINCTS	Assembly			Co. Clk			C. Treas.			Sheriff			Coroner			C. of Crt			D. Atty.		R. of D's			Surveyor		Pri' Law		[illegible]	
	Winch Rep	Gerner Dem	Henry E. Ward	Davis Rep	Leuschen Dem	George M. Otto	Bean Rep	Henke Dem	L. Wolleson	Little Rep	Welsh Dem	Robert Holmes	Lusk Rep	Jarvis Dem	James M. Clock	Bever Rep	Whittlesey Dem	John J. Schlegel	Brazeau Rep	Wheelan Dem	Powell Rep	Fleckenstein Dem	Wm. Schlafka	Severns Rep	Corcoran Dem	For	Against	For	Against
Arpin Town	73	73	9	73	53	9	73	53	—	76	52	7	74	52	9	72	54	9	74	54	74	52	9	75	52	44	34	16	67
Auburndale Town	126	49	....	129	57	....	127	51	....	126	50	....	128	49	....	127	50	....	127	51	125	54	....	127	50	109	31	20	151
Auburndale Village	59	2	1	56	4	1	56	4	1	56	4	1	57	3	1	56	4	1	56	4	57	4	1	56	4	52	3	17	43
Cameron Town	29	11	....	35	15	....	38	12	....	34	17	....	38	12	....	39	12	....	39	12	38	13	....	39	12	26	8	12	40
Cary Town	30	7	2	30	7	2	29	8	2	29	7	2	29	7	2	29	7	2	29	7	29	7	2	29	8	22	7	14	25
Cranmoor Town	26	15	1	26	17	2	25	18	2	26	17	2	27	16	2	25	21	1	25	19	27	16	2	27	16	23	2	39	9
Dexter Town	33	70	4	53	47	6	51	46	6	53	46	6	52	47	6	51	49	[illegible]	50	59	50	50	6	52	48	29	37	61	40
Grand Rapids Town	125	62	5	115	42	4	126	61	4	127	60	4	124	64	4	122	65	4	93	95	122	66	4	110	77	54	30	56	41
Grand Rapids 1st ward	81	63	1	85	57	1	81	58	1	87	55	1	81	58	1	96	47	1	78	65	81	65	1	70	65	35	16	120	13
Grand Rapids 2nd ward	121	60	3	139	52	3	130	51	3	138	43	3	127	49	3	130	49	3	106	77	119	62	2	118	64	40	11	146	26
Grand Rapids 3rd ward	97	42	....	105	35	....	102	38	....	101	37	....	101	37	....	105	34	....	94	45	98	41	....	95	44	73	20	114	19
Grand Rapids 4th ward	120	48	....	119	50	....	123	44	....	125	41	....	123	46	....	117	50	....	98	71	115	52	....	109	59	87	24	157	11
Grand Rapids 5th ward	93	57	8	93	51	9	95	50	8	91	52	9	92	51	8	91	53	9	92	65	92	52	9	92	54	38	25	70	65
Grand Rapids 6th ward	[illegible]	65	5	84	60	6	80	61	6	88	59	5	83	62	7	80	65	6	71	75	82	63	7	77	69	50	28	111	34
Grand Rapids 7th ward	81	65	8	86	59	10	85	61	9	88	60	7	81	63	9	86	61	8	73	76	81	65	9	81	71	54	31	109	20
Grand Rapids 8th ward	60	35	1	58	37	2	60	35	1	61	34	1	57	38	1	55	40	1	54	43	58	37	1	57	38	37	19	73	18
Hansen Town	87	42	10	91	38	10	94	37	9	92	37	9	92	38	9	95	34	9	94	36	92	38	9	92	38	68	12	81	46
Hiles Town	11	14	....	14	9	1	13	11	1	14	9	1	14	9	1	14	10	1	14	10	13	11	1	14	9	6	3	4	20
Lincoln Town	120	104	6	106	110	7	122	102	6	122	102	6	122	102	6	121	103	6	123	101	120	105	6	123	102	80	77	30	179
Marshfield Town	60	103	....	59	107	....	60	106	....	62	104	....	62	104	....	62	104	....	62	104	62	105	....	62	104	33	78	14	149
Marshfield 1st ward	60	135	15	50	114	15	60	141	16	52	152	14	61	141	14	59	141	11	59	144	58	147	15	59	145	39	104	42	143
Marshfield 2nd ward	63	58	9	39	77	11	48	70	10	40	80	16	[illegible]	67	10	52	65	10	47	70	47	76	7	47	73	11	31	27	[illegible]
Marshfield 3rd ward	131	100	16	108	125	12	112	121	17	104	131	12	111	[illegible]	13	112	118	13	110	123	118	114	12	115	117	77	104	70	149
Marshfield 4th ward	150	149	4	148	150	7	153	149	6	137	176	4	151	153	5	154	147	5	153	149	153	157	4	155	149	88	127	88	127
Marshfield 5th ward	120	101	1	100	117	5	105	111	5	89	135	3	103	115	4	107	115	4	106	117	97	123	4	104	113	75	93	64	119
Marshfield 6th ward	53	73	2	48	78	3	47	77	3	46	80	2	49	77	3	50	76	3	51	76	49	77	2	48	77	31	50	36	77
Milladore Town	75	95	1	76	93	1	71	95	1	80	89	1	76	92	1	81	90	1	73	96	77	92	1	76	93	22	76	16	118
Nekoosa Village	140	105	....	111	108	....	140	108	1	138	110	....	140	108	....	139	109	....	139	110	141	108	....	140	108	49	32	116	44
Pittsville 1st ward	49	22	2	53	18	2	52	19	2	51	17	2	50	21	2	50	21	2	52	19	50	21	2	57	15	35	15	36	31
Pittsville 2nd ward	10	13	2	14	9	2	14	8	2	14	8	2	12	10	2	13	9	2	11	12	11	11	2	10	13	6	12	7	18
Pittsville 3rd ward	13	22	2	19	16	2	19	16	2	21	14	2	19	16	2	19	16	2	18	17	16	19	2	19	15	5	17	22	9
Port Edwards Town	81	38	2	77	12	2	74	45	2	78	41	2	76	44	2	73	46	2	77	42	77	42	2	76	44	67	40	77	34
Port Edwards Village	57	37	2	51	42	2	47	46	2	47	47	2	29	65	2	44	49	2	48	45	51	42	2	50	43	31	9	79	16
Remington Town	60	89	3	66	89	3	66	80	3	67	78	3	66	80	3	66	80	3	62	84	66	80	3	66	80	32	52	44	78
Richfield Town	90	28	4	78	30	4	85	31	4	84	33	4	85	31	4	85	31	4	84	32	84	32	4	85	32	46	23	8	96
Rock Town	127	27	1	124	28	1	127	26	1	125	28	1	127	26	1	127	26	1	115	38	124	28	1	125	26	89	25	21	125
Rudolph Town	113	87	1	[illegible]	89	1	107	93	1	112	88	1	113	87	....	111	89	1	109	90	110	91	....	110	91	78	41	78	68
Saratoga Town	59	22	3	59	22	3	60	21	3	62	20	3	60	21	3	60	22	2	57	23	60	21	3	59	21	59	5	63	8
Seneca Town	58	10	1	57	11	1	59	9	1	58	11	1	59	9	1	57	11	1	58	10	58	10	1	59	9	49	7	45	25
Sherry Town	101	28	....	101	28	....	101	28	....	101	28	....	101	28	....	111	18	....	101	28	101	28	....	101	28	71	19	50	79
Sigel Town	173	101	....	168	103	....	135	140	....	[illegible]	110	1	175	104	1	169	99	1	162	113	169	115	1	169	104	86	70	80	128
Wood Town	45	55	....	50	53	....	50	52	....	50	53	....	49	52	....	49	52	....	51	53	49	53	....	50	52	21	55	19	50
Total	3372	2369	130	3286	2430	150	3307	2396	145	3322	2418	134	3330	2373	142	3359	2342	140	3195	2541	3301	2445	137	3294	2432	2050	1503	2383	2081
Plurality	1003	...	...	856	...	...	911	...	...	904	...	...	957	...	...	1017	...	...	654	...	856	...	...	862	...	547	...	...	...

STATE OF WISCONSIN } ss.
County of Wood }

We, Edward S. Renne, County Clerk, and E. A. Upham, Register of Deeds, and Edward Lynch, a member of county board of said county, constituting a Board of County Canvassers therefor, do hereby certify that the foregoing and within tabular statement is correct and ~~true~~ as compiled from the original returns made to the county clerk of said county and as compared therewith by us, and that from said returns it appears, that at the general towns, wards, villages and election districts of said county, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, A. D. 1904, being the eighth day of said month, the whole number of votes given in said county, was.

For Member of Assembly, five thousand eight hundred seventy-one (5871) of which number Amos E. Gerner ~~received~~ two thousand three hundred sixty-nine (2369) votes; Eli. E. Winch received three thousand three hundred seventy-two (3372) votes; Henry E. Ward received one hundred thirty (130) votes.

For County Clerk, five thousand eight hundred sixty-six (5866) of which number Frank Leushen received two thousand four hundred thirty (2430) votes; Geo. W. Davis received three thousand, two hundred eighty-six (3286) votes; Geo. M. Otto received one hundred fifty (150) votes.

For County Treasurer, five thousand eight hundred forty-eight (5848) of which number Fred C. Henke received two thousand three hundred ninety-six (2396) votes; Philip F. Bean received three thousand three hundred seven (3307) votes; Ludolph Wolleser received one hundred forty-five (145) votes.

For Sheriff, five thousand eight hundred seventy-four (5874) of which number Julius Welch received two thousand four hundred eighteen (2418) votes, Wm. E. Little received three thousand three twenty-two (3322) votes; Robt. A. Holmes received one hundred thirty-four (134) ~~votes~~.

For Coroner five thousand eight hundred forty-five (5845) of which number John R. Jarvis received two thousand three hundred seventy-three (2373) votes; Jacob Lusk received three thousand three hundred thirty (3330) votes; James M. Clock received one hundred forty-two (142) votes.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court, five thousand eight hundred forty-one (5841) of which number Chas. S. Whittlesey received two thousand three hundred forty-two (2342) votes; Albert B. Bever received three thousand three hundred ~~fiftynine~~ (3359) votes; Jno. J. Shlegel received one hundred forty (140) votes.

For District Attorney, five thousand seven hundred thirty-six (5736) of which number Wm. E. Wheelan received two thousand five hundred forty-one (2541) votes; Theo. W. Brazeau received three thousand one hundred nine-five (3195) votes.

For Register of Deeds, five thousand eight hundred eighty-three (5883) of which number Michael G. Fleckenstein received two thousand four hundred forty-five (2445) votes; Wm. S. ~~Powell~~ received three thousand three hundred one (3301) votes; Wm. J. Schlafka received one hundred thirty-seven (137) votes.

For Surveyor, five thousand seven hundred twenty-six (5726) of which number Wm. Corcoran received two thousand four hundred thirty-two (2432) votes; Warren Severns received three thousand two hundred ninety-four (3294) votes.

Witness our hands at the office of the County Board of Supervisors, at Grand Rapids, in said county, this 15th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand ni~~ne hundred~~ and four.

E. S. RENNE, County Clerk,
E. A. UPHAM,
Register of Deeds,
EDW. LYNCH,
Member of County Board.
Board of County Canvassers.

Report of the Financial Condition of

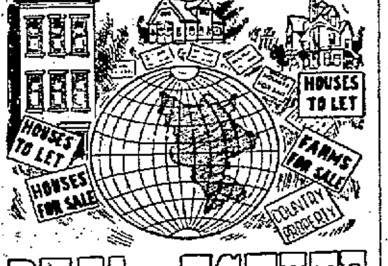
The Bank of Grand Rapids, located at Grand Rapids, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 10th day of November, 1904.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$250,530.71
Overdrafts	9,060.99
Stock and other securities	5,500.00
Due from banks	41,890.76
Checks on other banks and cash items	2,293.47
Orders	2,201.72
Cash on hand	13,713.10
Total	$325,190.75
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,261.72
Undivided profits	4,598.81
Deposits	264,330.12
Total	$325,190.75

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss.
WOOD COUNTY, }

I, F. H. Jackson, cashier of above-named bank do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
F. H. JACKSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of November, 1904.
CAROLINE KUNTZ
Notary Public, Wood County, Wisconsin.
Correct—Attest:
ISAAC P. WITTER, } Directors.
GEO. W. MEAD, }



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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

—For Sale—Coal and wood. For prices and particular inquire of Bossert Bros. & Evert, phone 54.

—Try Mexican Chile. Getts' Restaurant.

C. E. Lester was a business visitor in Edgerton last week.

Julius Nelson of Sherry was in the city Saturday on business.

John Jones of Plainfield is a guest at the home of E. H. Stoddard.

Dr. E. A. Smith was at Madison last week visiting with relatives.

Miss Phyllis Faucett visited friends in Marshfield a few days last week.

—Come once and you will come again for Mexican Chile at Getts'.

St. Catharine's Guild will meet with Mr. Voss on Friday afternoon.

Miss Sadie Young of Biron is visiting relatives at Brokaw this week.

Mrs. Henry Pellersells has been quite sick for the past couple of weeks.

Mrs. Kuntz and daughter Mary are taking in the exposition at St. Louis.

Miss Mary Reilly spent Thanksgiving with her relatives at Marshfield.

Miss Maud Whaley spent Thanksgiving day at Pittsville among friends.

Geo. Pickett of Marshfield spent Thanksgiving at the home of Theo. Brazeau.

Mrs. Frank Rafferty of Spring Valley, Minn., is visiting relatives in the city.

—Maurseth the jeweler will have an opening sale on holiday goods Saturday Dec. 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cepress are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl baby at their home.

Will Rath, who is employed in a drug store at Edgerton spent Thanksgiving home.

A. E. Lawrence of Marshfield was here on Tuesday on business before the county court.

Henry Hackbarth, one of the pioneer farmers of Vesper, was a caller at this office on Friday.

Charley Briere was home from the university to spend Thanksgiving with his parents.

Miss Lena Woisnet of Marshfield spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miscull.

Miss Annie Bever is quite sick at her home on the east side from an attack of diphtheria.

Ray Love of Milwaukee was in the city Saturday and Sunday visiting his relatives and friends

Mrs. A. L. Gross has been quite sick at her home on the east side during the past two weeks.

Mrs. August Sutor and son Raymond spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laramie.

—They all like it, Mexican Chile, at Getts' Restaurant.

Andrew King has resigned his position as special deputy of the National Fraternal League.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nason have returned from a three weeks visit with relatives at Nasonville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Uehling of Watertown, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roenius.

Mrs. Herman Finup and children returned Monday from Vesper where they had been since Thanksgiving.

Louis Ule and Guy Wood returned last week from the vicinity of Chelsea where they had been hunting deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Orra Sowers departed last week for Indiana where they will spend the winter with relatives.

Frank and Edward Closuit and Earl Minahan visited relatives and friends in Shaungolden last week.

—Buy dressed dolls for Christmas at the Baptist ladies' sale, Dec 14.

Miss Lida Lessig, who is teaching at Marshfield, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents near this city.

Miss Elizabeth Rowland, who is teaching near Marshfield, spent the vacation last week with her parents here.

Dorothy Brundage, daughter of Mrs. Emma Brundage, has been quite sick with intermittent fever the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Boorman of Tomah, were guests at the home of their son, Dr. Boorman over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Love of Merrill were in the city over Thanksgiving to spend the day with Mr. Love's parents.

F. W. Merrill, who is teaching at Babcock, was in the city on Thursday to eat Thanksgiving dinner with friends.

—For Sale.—My entire harness stock, fixtures and tools, also a special sale from the 5th to the 10th. N. J. Boucher.

Mrs. N. Higbee and son Earl of Rat Portage, Canada, visited at the home of Mrs. Ernestine Fontaine over Thanksgiving.

The paper mills closed on Thanksgiving day and allowed the employes to eat their Thanksgiving dinner at their leisure.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Fleckenstein of Marshfield ate Thanksgiving dinner in this city with Mr. and Mrs. George Frechette.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Erdman of Wausau were guests of Otto Erdman a few days last week. They were on their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lychwick and children of this city spent Thanksgiving at Nekoosa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wayerski.

F. W. Ziemendorf, who has been employed by his brother, G. A. in the Singer sewing machine business, has resigned his position.

Miss Anna Farrish has been quite seriously ill during the past two weeks. Her mother, Mrs. Robert Farrish, has also been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parliment of Watertown, S. D., spent several days in the city last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell, Jr.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. B. R. Goggins on Friday, Dec. 2nd.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 6 at the home of Mrs. Frank Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullen and daughter Grace, of St. Louis, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mullen on the west side.

M. D. O'Rourk, a leading merchant a Merrill, made an assignment last Wednesday. The liabilities are $6,000 and the assets $2,200.

Lacy Horton entertained a number of his friends last Friday evening at his home on the west side. A good time is reported by the young people.

Miss Elise Cooper of Medford who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, T. J. Cooper for several days returned to her home Monday morning.

V. D. Simons, chief electrician at the at the Consolidated plant, left on Monday for St. Louis where he expects to spend a week taking in the sights.

James Hamilton has been employed in the Wood County bank the past two weeks, Guy Wood being at St. Louis this week where he is attending the exposition.

—Baptist sale and supper Wednesday, Dec. 14th.

Wm. Little and Jesse Hopgood returned on Monday from Vesper where they had been hunting deer for a couple of days. They brought back one carcass with them.

—St. Catharine's and St. Agnes Guilds will hold a fair and sale of fancy and useful articles at the candy kitchen on Friday and Saturday, December 9 and 10.

District Attorney Brazeau left on Monday for Mauston where he will conduct the prosecution against Frank Jadack whose case was supposed to come up for trial on Tuesday.

—Don't imagine you are troubling us by looking at holiday goods before you are ready to buy. We like that sort of trouble. Johnson & Hill Co. drug department.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Denis, who have been visiting Mr. Denis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Denis, left on Monday for Chicago, where Mr. Denis has accepted a position.

Messrs. Nic and Dominick Reiland returned Monday morning from Belchester, Minn., where they had been called suddenly by the death of their youngest brother Michael.

Miss Della Menier, who has been sick for some time past, underwent a surgical operation at Oshkosh on Wednesday last. Later reports from there says that she is getting along nicely.

—Lost—A stick pin with horse shoe head with opals. Also a ladies' Knight Templar gold double eagle locket with maltise cross upon the back. Finder will received reward by returning to H. Reblin.

The dance given by the band boys on Thanksgiving was fairly well attended, altho not as largely as is usual on such festive occasions. Those in attendance report a good time and first class music.

—Every lady attending the Holiday opening at Johnson & Hill Drug Dept. Tuesday, Dec. 6th will be presented with a beautiful souvenir.

Some seventeen residents of Marshfield were in the city on Monday being on their way to Mautson, where they went as witnesses in the Jadack case, which is being tried there this week.

—The Baptist ladies will hold their annual sale at the church rooms on Wednesday, Dec. 14. Aprons, bags, kerchiefs and Christmas goods of various kinds will be on sale. Supper will be served.

B. G. Eggert, the real estate man, returned on Saturday from a two weeks trip thru the south, having visited many of the larger cities along the Mississippi.

It is reported on good authority that Supervisor Ira Bassett of the 5th ward has been slated by sheriff-elect Little as his under sheriff. Mr. Bassett will be the right man in the right place.

—Don't fail to attend our Holiday opening Tuesday Dec. 5th. A beautiful souvenir presented to each lady. Johnson & Hill Drug Dept.

Charley Natwick of Hansen was in the city on business on Monday. Charley reports that owing to the scarcity of snow the hunters out Hansen way have not captured many deer this fall.

The deer season closes tonight at 12 o'clock. There was no snow on the ground this year up to the last day and as a consequence hunters had harder work in securing their allotment of deer. However, they all seem pretty well satisfied with their success.

Rev. Fred Staff arrived in the city from Fort Atkinson on Monday and he har since been engaged in getting settled in their new home on the west side. Rev. Mr. Staff will preach in the Congregational church on Sunday.

—We have had good holiday stocks before, but they can't compare with the line we are showing this season. If you have not been in, come as soon as you can. Johnson & Hill Co. drug department.

—Dr. McElwee's next visit will be on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at the Witter House. The doctor's examinations are free and no chronic sufferer should fail to get his opinion in regard to their case.

—Manager Hamilton has been so fortunate as to book Gordon & Bennetts famous production, "A Royal Slave" for an engagement of one night Monday Dec. 5th. This attraction is much above the average and will be one of the notable events of the theatrical season in this city. Seats on sale Friday. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

—"A Royal Slave" which comes to this city next Monday night will prove an innovation in the way of melodrama as it is a distinct novelty both as to theme and scenic embellishment. The plot of the play is taken from Gen. Lew Wallace's great story, "The Fair God," which is sufficient guarantee of its literary merit. The many beautiful scenes have been painted from photographs taken in Mexico especially for this production and are said to be magnificent examples of the scenes painter's art. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Marshfield News—Grand Rapids has a building and loan association that is going to do a great deal of good. It is made up of local capital and during the first week of its existance over $30,000 worth of stock was taken out. Concerns of this kind, with honest management, furnish the investor a safe retreat for his spare money and on the other hand builds homes for the poor man who can reduce the debt by monthly payments, about the same as paying rent, and eventually own the property. Building and loan association are no new thing, and where the management is in honest hands the results are beneficial both to the investor and borrower alike. Such an institution it seems would receive a good patronage in Marshfield.

Ten Weeks in a Hospital.

Mr. Christ Schorr of Phillips, Wis., writes: Gloria Tonic cured me completely of rheumatism. The hospital failed to do it. I was in it twice, once three weeks and another time seven weeks Sold by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

11-23-7t

Summons.

In Circuit Court—Wood County.

Ferdinand Hopp, Plaintiff,
vs.
Auguste Hopp, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin—To the said Defendant, and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint: of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

O. C. HAHN.
Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address Watertown, Jefferson Co., Wis

P. S. Please take notice that the summons and verified complaint in the above entitled action were duly filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, on th [illegible] day of November, 1904.

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A nice line of Souvenir Spoons. All new and of the latest designs and best patterns.

Buy your Christmas presents now and avoid disappointments. Remember the date one day only.

You can not afford to miss this opportunity.

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11-30-5w.

Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Bagley, deceased.

Letters Testamentory under the will of said John Bagley, deceased, having been granted and issued to Thomas Hanlon on the 15th day of November, 1904, it is now at this special term of this court.

Ordered, that all creditors of said John Bagley, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 5th day of June, 1905, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at a special December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 20th day of December, 1904, and the first Tuesday, being the 6th day of June, 1905.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated Grand Rapids, November 15th, 1904.
By the Court W. J. CONWAY,
County Judge.

Miss. Agnes Westley
816 Wells Street
Marinette, Wis.

816 Wells Street,
MARINETTE, WIS., Sept. 25, 1903.

I was all run down from nervousness and overwork and had to resign my position and take a rest. I found that I was not gaining my strength and health as fast as I could wish, and as your Wine of Cardui was recommended as such a good medicine for the ills of our sex, I bought a bottle and began using it. I was satisfied with the results from the use of the first bottle, and took three more and then found I was restored to good health and strength and able to take up my work with renewed vigor. I consider it a fine tonic and excellent for worn-out, nervous condition, and am pleased to endorse it.

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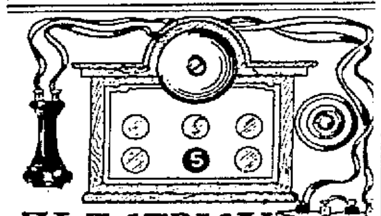
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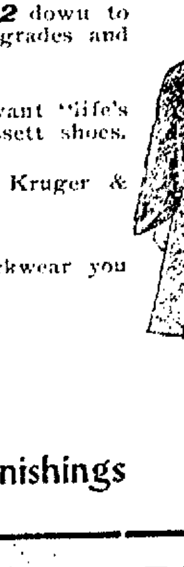

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JOHN BURT

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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

John heartily congratulated Blake on his masterly generalship.

"We will talk business to-morrow, Jim," he said. "I am more anxious to hear of other matters. Now, tell me the news. Did you hear of Miss Carden? Is my grandfather alive?"

"Peter Burt is alive and well," said Blake, glad to bring some good tidings.

"Alive and well!" repeated John Burt. "May God bless him! That is good news. Go on, Jim."

"Arthur Morris is alive," said Blake, without lifting his eyes.

"The local paper contained the news," [illegible] John, [illegible]. "What's the matter, old man? You're pale. Are you ill?"

"I've bad news for you, John," he said, desperately. "I may as well tell you and be over with it. Miss Carden's engaged to be married!"

John's lips tightened and a red spot burned on each cheek.

"To whom?"

"To Arthur Morris, John."

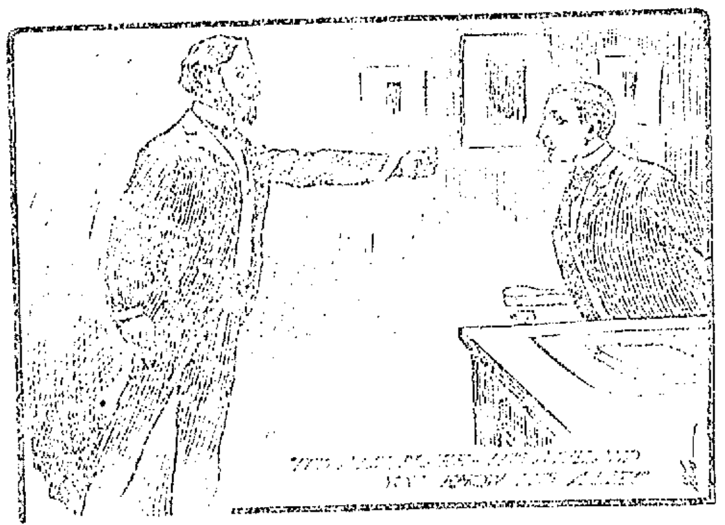
John Burt [illegible] backward with a [illegible]. His [illegible] eyes blazing with [illegible] and his features [illegible] with [illegible].

"It's a lie, Blake! It's a lie, and you know it's a lie!"

He [illegible] always [illegible] friend. [illegible] abruptly, he walked [illegible] the room with [illegible] hands [illegible]. For a moment he stood silent, then abruptly he turned to Blake with his hands outstretched.

"I beg your pardon, Jim! Forgive me, old man! I didn't know what I was saying. Forgive me, Jim, will you?"

"Certainly, John. There's nothing to forgive," replied Blake heartily as he clasped his friend's hands.



"Perhaps it is a lie. Let us hope so, John."

For moments no word was spoken. John Burt stood by an opened window, with his back to his friend, and gazed out into the darkness.

"Tell me about it, Jim," he said, breaking the silence.

Blake related the details of his introduction to Arthur Morris and told of the [illegible] in the latter's apartment. He repeated the conversation as nearly as he could recall it.

John abruptly changed the subject and questioned Blake about his interview with Peter Burt, and smiled quietly when he related his experience with the old man. He was not displeased that Blake had been forced to reveal his secret.

"I have anticipated his advice about going to New York," said John. "My plans are made, and if you are willing, we will make New York the future headquarters of James Blake & Company, with the San Francisco establishment a branch house. Think it over, Jim, and let me know your decision as soon as possible."

"I've thought it over," said Blake. "I'm ready to go to New York the minute you say so."

"Very well, we'll go this month," said John Burt.

It was long past midnight when Blake drove away and left John Burt to the harrowing society of his thoughts. For hours he sat before the portrait of Jessie Carden. He recalled the day when she had laughingly placed the cherished tintype in his hand. And now she was in Paris, by the grace and under the bounty of Arthur Morris—the one man in all the world he hated.

"It's a lie—an infamous, damnable lie!" he repeated as he paced up and down the room. "It is not so—it shall not be so!"

But the black clouds of doubt again obscured the rift made by vehement hope. What reason had he to doubt the statement made by Morris? Had not Morris wealth, influence, social standing? Was not Jessie under obligations to him?

And what of Jessie? What valid, lasting claim had he on Jessie Carden? A few words spoken under the stress of great excitement, a promise of her friendship and of her prayers—nothing more.

No word from him had come to her during long years. For all she knew he was dead. What right had he to expect that she should play the part of Penelope to a silent, untrothed Ulysses who refused to return from exile?

This suggested a train of bitter conjecture. Why had he not been content with a modest fortune? Why had he devoted years to the amassing of wealth which now mocked his love? Why had he despised the pretensions of Arthur Morris? Why had he failed to take steps to positively ascertain the result of Morris's wound?

The words of Peter Burt came back to him: "It is written in God's word: 'If thou faint in the day of adversity thy strength is small; for a just man falleth seven times and riseth up again!'" Had he fallen seven times? From the hour he left the old man's side until that night, no shade of disappointment had come into his life. Success had followed success and triumph had succeeded triumph. Every prophecy made by Peter Burt had been more than fulfilled.

As he recalled the past he remembered with keen joy the parting words of the old man: "You have the love of a woman I respect. She will wait for you. Do not let the impatience of your love imperil your chances."

The sense of coming victory stole over him as he stood before the portrait and repeated the words: "She will wait for you; she will wait for you." That which is not menaced; that which does not demand the danger and turmoil of a battle, is not worth struggling for.

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Four weeks later John Burt stood on a ferry boat and gazed for the first time on the matchless water front and the ragged but impressive skyline of New York city.

Blake had preceded him, and had installed the permanent headquarters of James Blake & Company. He met John as he stepped from the train. The two old friends greeted each other with unforced cordiality. Blake was in high spirits.

"I'm glad you're here, John," he said, as they were seated in a car. "I've been in an awful fix for a week or more. What in thunder is my opinion on the new currency bill, John? Ten reporters and a hundred [illegible] have asked me that question, and I have refused to commit myself. What shall I tell them, John?"

"We'll discuss that over dinner," laughed John. He gazed at Blake earnestly, and asked: "Do you know if Miss Carden has returned?"

"I have been unable to ascertain that," said Blake. "I haven't seen anybody who would know. I've been awfully busy, John."

"I fancy you have," returned John in his old, cordial manner. "Have you secured a suit for me, Jim?"

"I've picked up a dream of an apartment for you, and have ordered your favorite dinner."

The following day John Burt began his New York career.

CHAPTER XVII.

A Foreign Mission.

Arthur Morris had recovered from his wound; Jessie Carden had left for Europe. During his convalescence he was dominated by two passions: First to arrest and punish John Burt, and second to hear from Jessie Carden. Yielding to his demands, the elder Morris spent thousands of dollars in a fruitless attempt to locate John Burt.

Morris had no difficulty in obtaining from General Carden the continental address of his daughter. She was studying in Berlin, and Arthur Morris wrote a long letter informing her of his complete recovery. He calmly ignored the events which led to the shooting, and seemed to have forgotten the rebuff he had received at her hands. The letter read as if their last meeting had been under the shadow of the maples on the Bishop lawn.

Morris waited a month for an answer to this letter and then wrote a second one, which was returned unopened. In a towering passion he went to his father and unbosomed the story of his treatment.

"You told me once that old Carden would go broke on L. & O.," he declared, pacing up and down the room. "I didn't pay much attention to what you said at the time, but I know all about it now. I've been looking over your books, governor. You've got him long on a rotten stock. Go ahead and squeeze him! You can do it. Put the screws to him! Then when he comes whining around for mercy we'll see what Miss Independence Jessie will do! I'll bet she'll answer my letters then! I'll make her pay for this some day. You've got to do something, governor!"

"If you think I'm going to run my banking and Wall Street business so as to promote your correspondence with a doll-faced girl, you——"

"She's not a doll-faced girl!" declared Morris, turning fiercely on his father.

"Well, she's a girl, and they're all alike," growled Randolph Morris. "The prettier they are the more trouble they raise. I thought you told me you wasn't going to marry her. You're an ass."

The old banker lay back wearily in his chair and regarded his son and heir with an expression of deep disgust.

"I'll marry her if I want to," said Morris, doggedly. "I suppose I've got to marry somebody and she's as good as any one. What the devil has old Carden's money got to do about it? When he loses it you get it, and when you die I get it, and if she marries me she quits even. It's the only chance she's got. Go ahead and squeeze him, governor!"

"You talk like a fool," said the fond parent. "You know a lot about stocks, don't you? I couldn't bear L. & O. now if I tried, and wouldn't if I could. I'm interested in other stocks besides L. & O. If you're bound to marry, why don't you marry Thompson's daughter. He'll die in a year and leave her four millions."

"I don't want her," said Morris loftily. "You need not worry about my matrimonial alliances. Let me have five thousand dollars. I'm going to Europe."

Randolph Morris stormed and fumed and then wrote a check for the amount demanded.

Six weeks later Arthur Morris was in Berlin. He had perfected his plans, and after securing apartments in Leipziger Strasse set about their execution.

He was to shrewd to announce his arrival by a letter to Jessie, having good reason to suspect that it would meet the same reception as had the others. He retained a capable valet and commissioned him to obtain information concerning Miss Carden's daily and weekly routine.

It rained the following day, and Morris' valet brought word that Miss Carden would not venture out in the storm. His master was pleased to learn that Miss Carden was in the habit of going out alone, and that if the weather permitted, she proposed to visit Count Raczynski's gallery on the morrow.

The famous Raczynski gallery is on the Exercierplatz, outside the Brandenburg gate, and contains a splendid collection of modern German paintings. The day dawned bright and warm after the storm, and Morris was in fine spirits when he stepped into his carriage and rode down the avenue. He entered the gallery and roamed through the halls to make sure Jessie had not arrived. He then stood near the entrance and waited.

His patience was rewarded. He recognized Jessie as she crossed the street. She was alone, and Morris stepped into the dark of the vestibule and followed when she entered the main hall. Jessie carried a sketch book under her arm, and took a seat opposite one of Schinkel's masterworks. Opening the book, she proceeded to work on an unfinished sketch.

(To be continued.)

ACTORS WASTED THEIR TIME.

Carefully Rehearsed Speech That Was Not Called For.

Joseph Jefferson was called before the curtain recently and told the audience of one occasion when he and the late "Billy" Florence produced a play in New York. "We thought the play was going to be a great success," said Mr. Jefferson, "and we also thought that we'd be called before the curtain for a speech. So Florence and I got together and framed a few remarks, and to make them extemporaneous we agreed on the following: Whenever I made a remark Mr. Florence was to look greatly surprised, and I in turn was to look surprised when Florence said something. We rehearsed our few remarks until we had them letter perfect. The night of the new play came around and everything went along all right, except that neither Florence nor myself was called upon to speak."

OFFICE BOY WENT TOO FAR

Why Ex-Secretary Root Felt Called on to Make Change.

Elihu Root, who has returned to the practice of law in New York city, has engaged a new office boy. Said Mr. Root: "Who carried off my paper basket?" "It was Mr. Reilly," said the boy. "Who is Mr. Reilly?" asked Mr. Root. "The janitor, sir." An hour later Mr. Root asked: "Jimmie, who opened that window?" "Mr. Lantz, sir." "And who is Mr. Lantz?" "The window cleaner, sir." Mr. Root wheeled about and barked at the boy. "See here, James," said he, "we call men by their first names here. We don't 'mister' them in this office. Do you understand?" "Yes, sir." In ten minutes the door opened and a small, shrill voice said: "There's a man here as wants to see you, Lihu."

Carlyle's Sarcasm.

Carlyle once wrote to a neighbor of his in London: "We have the misfortune to be people of weak health in this house; bad sleepers in particular, and exceedingly sensible in the night hours to disturbances from sound. On your premises for some time past there is a cock, by no means particularly loud or discordant, whose crowing would of course be indifferent or insignificant to persons of sound health and nerves; but, alas, it often enough keeps us unwillingly awake here and on the whole gives a degree of annoyance which, except to the unhealthy, is not easily conceivable. If you would have the goodness to remove that small animal or in any way render him inaudible from midnight to breakfast time such charity would work a notable relief to certain persons here and be thankfully acknowledged by them as an act of good neighborship."

Razors as Social Adjuncts.

Col. James Hamilton Lewis claims to have been witness to a scene in a cutlery establishment that gave him a new view as to some social accessories.

"A colored man came up to the counter," he says, "and asked to see some razors. Finally the dark customer selected a very large tonsorial blade and said:

"'Ah think, suh, dat dis heah one will be 'bout de 'tensil what I needs.'

"'Yes,' said the dealer, 'you can shave yourself all right with that.'

"'Laws bress yo' life! Ah doan want hit to shave wid,' said the purchaser.

"'What do you want it for?' he was asked.

"'W'y, suh, I wants it fur social purposes. Dey is monst'ous fashionable, suh, in owah set.'"

Not Unlucky for Hens.

There is a man in Mount Airy who has decided that thirteen is not an unlucky number in his business. He raises chickens, and this is the way he has come to his new point of view:

Several of his hens wanted to sit last week, and their wishes were granted. Under one fifteen eggs were placed. Seven "chicks" were the result. Four died from natural causes, one was killed and eaten by a strenuous neighborhood cat, one had a fatal fall and another was "picked" to death by a jealous hen. The second hen was given seventeen eggs, but only four chickens were hatched. Then under hen number three were placed thirteen eggs, and thirteen hearty chickens are now being cared for by that mother.—Philadelphia Press.

Hard to Answer.

Prof. George Herbert Palmer of Harvard college says that the masculine habit of rigid, logical reasoning is contracted very early, and in illustration he tells the following story:

"A little boy and girl of my acquaintance were tucked up snug in bed when their mother heard them talking. 'I wonder what we're here for?' asked the little boy.

"The little girl remembered the lessons that had been taught her and replied sweetly, 'We are her to help others.'

"The little boy sniffed, 'Then, what are the others here for?' he asked."—New York Times.

May Tunnel the Channel.

One of the results of the recent Anglo-French agreement is a renewal of the scheme for tunnelling the channel between France and England. The London and Paris chambers of commerce are leading in the matter. It is nearly fifty years since the tunnel project was first put upon a practical basis of experiment, but since then the original estimate of cost has been reduced from $50,000,000 to $20,000,000.

ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE FOR NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.

The most powerful electric locomotive in the world has just been completed for the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad in the shops of the General Electric Company and the American Locomotive Works at Schenectady, N. Y.

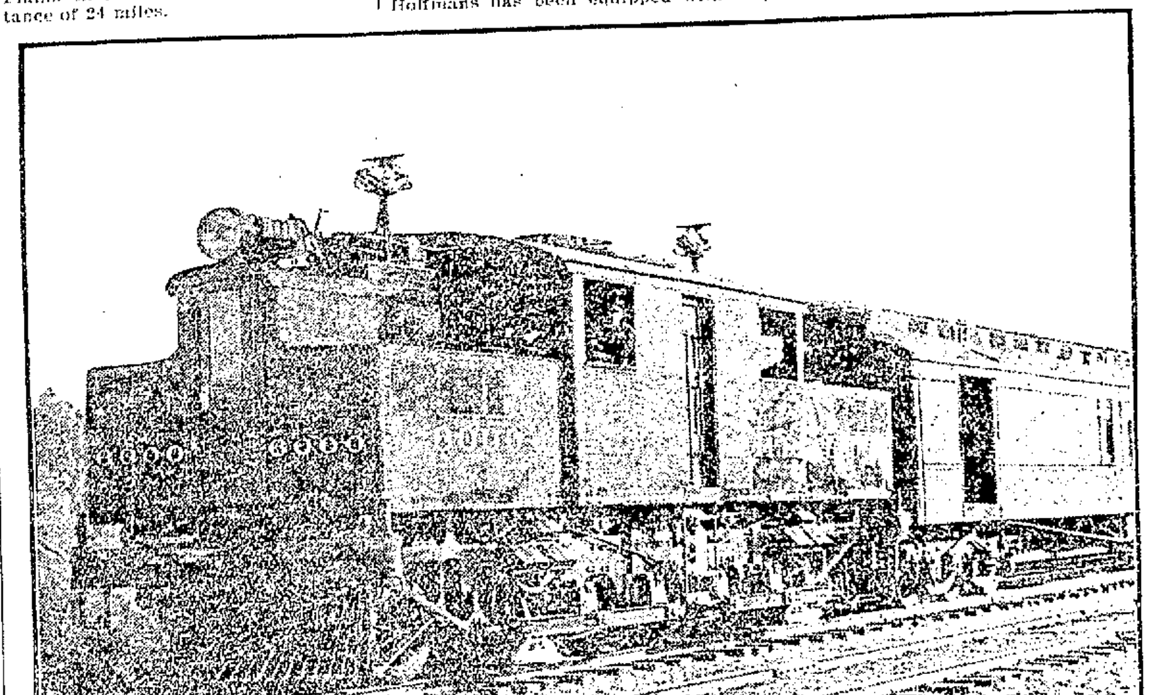
This locomotive is one of between thirty and fifty which will be used by the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company for hauling the through passenger trains within its Electrical Zone from Grand Central Station through the Park Avenue tunnel to Croton on the Main Line, a distance of 34 miles, and to White Plains on the Harlem Division, a distance of 24 miles.

This will be the heaviest steam railway passenger service which has ever been handled by electric locomotives. With one of these locomotives trains of ten or more cars will be hauled at express speed of 60 to 70 miles per hour, and the design and method of control are such that two or more locomotives can be coupled together and operated by a single engineer from the leading cab, so that the size of the train that may be under the control of one engineer is practically unlimited so far as the question of motive power is concerned.

For purpose of testing this locomotive, six miles of the New York Central track between Schenectady and Hoffmans has been equipped with a third rail. The track is practically straight and ballasted to permit maximum speeds of 70 to 80 miles per hour being attained.

The power is transmitted at 11,000 volts; the transmission line extending along the Erie Canal to about opposite the sub-station, where it crosses the Mohawk River on high towers.

This power station, transmission line, sub-station equipment and the six miles of track is, undoubtedly, the most complete testing plant ever provided for trial of electric railroad motive power, and with the facilities afforded, in addition to testing the new locomotives, much interesting and valuable Electric Railroad information will unquestionably be obtained.



TRICK THAT WON LAWSUIT.

Counsel Made Friend of Man from His His Own State.

Scattered over the state of Arkansas are a number of people originally from North Carolina, who, though they never expect to live in their native state, still love it dearly, and are proud of the nickname of "tar heel."

In a certain town lives a former North Carolinian who is a lawyer. One day he had to plead a case in court, the outcome of which was very doubtful. By some means he discovered that one of the jury was from North Carolina, and he felt sure that if he could let that man know, without exciting suspicion, that he was from the same state, it would help him materially.

During the recess at noon he bought some chewing gum, and chewed it until it was sticky. As he arose to make his speech after the court convened again he dropped the gum on the floor unnoticed. A little later it was noticed by those near, including the judge, that he was annoyed by something sticking to the heel of one shoe that made a noise every time he moved that foot.

Finally he asked the judge to excuse him while he removed the cause of the trouble, remarking: "I do not know what it can be unless it is tar. You know I'm a 'tar heel.'" He won his case.

Comforts of Travel.

The porter on the California Limited this winter will be prepared to press a gentleman's trousers, while he waits. This is a new wrinkle, introduced for the benefit of fastidious dressers. It isn't absolutely necessary to carry along an extra pair of trousers, either; the porter works while you sleep.

On this luxurious train daily market reports are received by wire; there are the latest morning and evening newspapers issued en route, fine stationery, a library of western books and current magazines. A Whitley exerciser for those who wish to keep up their athletics, and electric curling irons for the ladies are other travel comforts.

The Santa Fe intends to keep its fast flyer at the front.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in ¾-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Scientific Tanning.

Tanning is to be put on a strictly scientific basis. Two Germans, Dr. Popp and Heinrich Becker, found that about fifty kinds of bacteria were present in the process of turning hides into leather. They isolated them and experimented to see what each of them accomplished. Thus they discovered the kinds which were particularly useful in the making of good leather, and by cultivating and multiplying them they achieved useful results.

Suffixing."

"What would the advertisement writer do without the suffix 'ing'?" asked a man who studies advertisements. "We have long been used to sheetings and pillow casings and even coatings and vestings have lost their newness, but now a department store announces that it will sell waistings and blousings. Will we soon hear of collarings and cuffings at a great discount or a mark down sale of boys' short pantings?"

It develops that years ago Conan Doyle wrote a letter from the United States declaring that America would reach the chief place among the English-speaking nations. Sherlock Holmes had not been created then, but Dr. Doyle did not need his detective to make this discovery.

At last we have word from our old friend Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister to the United States. The empress has allowed him to ride horseback in the Forbidden City.

CHESBRO AS A KIDDER.

New York Pitcher in Amusing Position After Boston Series.

It was in the lobby of the Quincy house, in Boston, on the Saturday evening just after Collins' men won two games from New York. A group of rooters and players were talking it all over, and among them was "Happy Jack Chesbro," who had just tasted defeat in the first game. A stranger strolled up to the bunch, and with a tired air addressed Happy Jack as follows:

"What do you suppose was the matter with Chesbro to-day?"

"He was pretty rotten to-day, all right," responded the big twirler, never turning a hair.

The gang took it all in, and remarks about Chesbro being "overrated;" "outclassed in such company," and being "all in" were passed about freely, but the stranger only sighed as he explained that he made the trip from New York and hoped to see the Highlanders win at least one game.

Bill Hills then quietly tipped off the New Yorker, whose name was Callow, and he nearly threw a fit when he learned that he had addressed the burning question, "What do you suppose was the matter with Chesbro today?" to the big twirler. He insisted that the drinks were on him. "Never saw the boys in their store clothes," was his explanation.

Appreciated the Joke.

Dan Leno, the London comedian, who died recently, had, during his experience as an entertainer, met with some droll incidents.

On one occasion he had appeared at a house in Park lane, and had given his best entertainment. The languor of his listeners made him feel not too happy, and he was glad to retire to the dressing room allotted him. While he was removing the grease paint a very young peer, who had strolled after him, stood watching the process. He told Leno in the most approved drawl that some of his sayings had really been rather funny.

"Especially that one, you know, where your wife made a pancake on a gridiron and the pancake slipped through and put the fire out.

"That made me laugh awfully, because I know what a gridiron is. I have seen one," he said.

The Children's Lucky Star.

A happy conjunction where the pleasure of children is concerned has been the collaboration of Mr. Glen MacDonough and Miss Anna Alice Chapin on "Babes in Toyland" (Fox, Duffield & Co.) Mr. MacDonough is a son-in-law of Joseph Jefferson, whose Rip Van Winkle for many years delighted young audiences as well as old. Miss Chapin is the author of The Wagner Stories for Children, written when she was herself little more than a child.

Ever See One?

Did you ever see a one-legged man with his hands in his pockets? Few people have, but down Dearborn street the other morning there walked a man from whose right trouser leg projected what seemed to be a length of lead pipe. By slouching backward, sailor fashion, he had managed to get his hands in his pockets and he stumped along merrily, oblivious of the stares of those he passed.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

To the housewife who has not yet become acquainted with the new things of everyday use in the market and who is reasonably satisfied with the old, we would suggest that a trial of Defiance Cold Water Starch be made at once. Not alone because it is guaranteed by the manufacturers to be superior to any other brand, but because each 10c package contains 16 ozs., while all the other kinds contain but 12 ozs. It is safe to say that the lady who once uses Defiance Starch will use no other. Quality and quantity must win.

Andre Has No Military Bearing.

Gen. Andre, who has been forced out of the position of minister of war in the French government, is a man of ungainly appearance. Tall, thin, with a long nose and lean face, he cut a poor figure beside the smart officers under his command. He is strictly a family man.

Skin-tight trousers are coming into style again. Bow-legged men will find it harder than ever to be cheerful.

Try me just once and I am sure to come again. Defiance Starch.

Young Thaw of Pittsburg is as soft as his name.

DOLL COULD NOT SLEEP.

Erstwhile Pet Barred From "Nature's Sweet Restorer."

Small Nancy, aged four, had a doll to which she was devotedly attached. It could open and shut its eyes, and every night Nancy took it to bed with her, carefully closing its eyes before the light was turned out. One day the doll, as dolls from time immemorial have been known to do, met with an accident which placed the eye-shutting mechanism out of business and left it with not only widely and permanently opened optics, but badly damaged ones as well. At intervals during the remainder of the day Nancy pleaded to have her dolly "cured," but nothing was successful. At bedtime when she had donned her nightdress and started for her little bed her mother saw she had forgotten her adored doll and reminded her of it, saying:

"But, Nannie, you've forgotten your baby; she won't be able to sleep unless you take her to bed with you as usual."

To her mother's amused astonishment Nancy threw a half-contemptuous look over her shoulder at the doll, recumbent on a chair, and said:

"Oh, what's the use! She can't sleep anyway; who ever heard of anybody sleeping with their eyes wide open?"

The English Language.

"Would you say a flock of fish?" asked a Frenchman.

"No; you would say a shoal of fish," was the American's reply.

"Could you say a flock of oxen?"

"No; a drove of oxen."

"A flock of bees."

"No; a swarm of bees."

"Really," said the Frenchman, "this is confusing to me."

"I don't wonder that it is," the American returned. "For every different crowd there is a different word in our language. Thus we say a covey of partridges, a bevy of quails, a nide of pheasants, a flight of doves, a wisp of snipe, a muster of peacocks, a brood of grouse, a siege of herons, a building of rooks, a stand of plovers, a watch of nightingales, a clattering of choughs, a pack of wolves, a cast of hawks, a herd of swine, and so on. In the technical books on sports and hunting you will find that every crowd of birds and of animals has its own special name. These special names well trained sportsmen always use."

Let the Sunshine In.

Always remember that the sun shines nearly all day from the south, half a day—the first half—from the east, and the other half from the west; but never from the north, says Joy Wheeler Dow in the Home Beautiful. Place a new house anyway you please in its relation to the highway, endwise, flatwise or obliquely. It makes no difference. Even turn it entirely around, so that the front door is where the rear door usually is, upon the opposite side to the approach; but, above everything, make sure that the sunlight is going to do for your living room and bed rooms all it will do; for the bright sunshine of America is our choicest inheritance, and no American can be truly happy for long without it.

Do you love the mountains? Do you like to travel the trail that leads to the peaks? Then Stewart Edward White's latest work, "The Mountains" is for you. It is an enthusiastic description of a trip made by the author through the Sierras. Mr. White is a capital mate and you cannot afford to miss the hours in his company this book offers you. It is also full of helpful suggestions in regard to the thousand little details of mountain and forest travel which you must know. (McClure, Phillips & Co.)

"Traffics and Discoveries" by Rudyard Kipling is the first volume of collected Kipling stories since "The Day's Work." It ranges from the mystically beautiful "They" to soldier stories like "The Captive" and "The Copper," with one long tale, "The Army of a Dream" not previously published. (Doubleday, Page & Co.)

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Railroads are instructing their employes in first aid to the injured methods. Better adopt a plan of not injuring so many.

FLOWERS THAT TELL TIME.

Punctual to the Minute in Closing Their Petals.

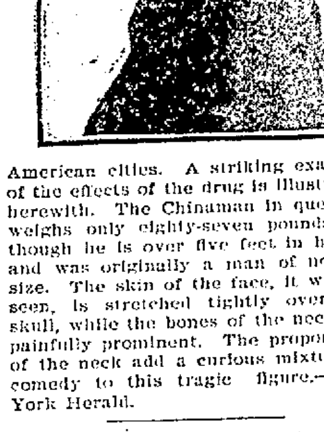
There are flowers that act as timekeepers for those who have by observation studied their ways and habits, and so punctual are they that laboring men in some countries tell from them when the hour for dinner and leaving work has come; while in certain districts the school children are said to be dismissed when the goat's-beard closes, which it does punctually at the same time every day. The gardener to a millionaire has provided a flower-clock in the shape of a circular flower bed, with twelve divisions. Each of the divisions, from one to twelve, contains flowers which open or close at the corresponding hour. Thus the two space is occupied by a II, made of hawkseed, which closes at 2 p. m., precisely, and so on. He had no difficulty in finding flowers to suit the several hours, and in some cases the figure has been made of more than one flower. Amongst the flowers used are the snow thistle, blue chicory, pimpernel, marigold, Star of Bethlehem, and evening Primrose. The Yellowstone park contains the most unique greenhouse for flower cultivation in the world, the heat being obtained from one of the natural hot springs, or geysers, the water of which issues from the earth at a temperature near boiling point. The shortest-lived flowers are the dew flowers of the Death Valley in California. Heavy dews are wafted by the winds from the mountains over the parched plain, and an hour or two before sunrise the moist sand, with its under-current of warmth, gives life to the dew flower. When the light begins to glow in the east, myriads of tiny pink flowers burst into bloom, hugging the sand for the few minutes they are destined to live. The sun's rays come slanting across the surface, and, as though a touch of fire had passed over them, the dew flowers wither and disappear.—Montreal Herald.

Amazing Pigeon Story.

When you do a thing do it well. When you do a friend do him well also, and when you tell a story let it be the best of its kind. F. H. S. Morrison tells the most amazing pigeon yarn ever heard. "During the Franco-Prussian war the French caught a homing pigeon which was being sent to transmit information into the besieged city of Paris. The bird was made a prisoner of war and kept in confinement for ten years. When given its liberty it at once returned to its old home." That bird must have been tortured daily in prison to make it hate the place and long always for its cote in Germany.—New York Press.

A Rubber Neck.

The effect of opium in reducing the body to a mere skeleton has many illustrations among the Chinese of American cities. A striking example of the effects of the drug is illustrated herewith. The Chinaman in question weighs only eighty-seven pounds, although he is over five feet in height and was originally a man of normal size. The skin of the face, it will be seen, is stretched tightly over the skull, while the bones of the neck are painfully prominent. The proportions of the neck add a curious mixture of comedy to this tragic figure.—New York Herald.



Sermon from the Heart.

A sermon written by a Newark pastor while awaiting an important operation in a hospital showed so much self-control, so much judgment and discretion that it has been made public. It was read to the congregation of which he was the pastor. The subject was "Is Life Worth the Living?" and it taught the lessons of resignation, philosophy and faith in a highly effective manner.

Electricity and Windmills.

In Germany electricity, among other curious results, has rehabilitated the discarded windmill. At Neresheim a windmill supplies power for thirty-six incandescent lamps that light a large paint factory. Another in Schleswig-Holstein keeps a steady current of thirty volts. At Dusseldorf a windmill winds up a heavy weight, of which the descent works a powerful dynamo.

Rare Relics of Early History.

George W. Bennett of Abbott, Maine, is the possessor of a silk badge worn by his grandfather, who was a captain in the revolutionary war, at the dedication of Bunker Hill; also a piece of the dress worn by his grandmother, given her by Lafayette during his second visit to the United States.

Productive Pumpkin Seed.

From a single seed Jerome Jordan of Webster, Mass., has produced just 466 pounds of pumpkin. From a single seed of the ordinary garden pumpkin variety he has this season produced twenty-three pumpkins on the vine, the largest individual vegetable weighing twenty-seven pounds.

Lobster Would Make Many Meals.

A fourteen-pound lobster was recently secured by G. B. Hunt of Eastport, Me. The lobster measured nineteen inches from head to tail, the two feelers from the head measuring eighteen inches and the claws each seventeen inches in length, and the largest six inches in width.

Crippled in Removing Boot.

Andred J. Curtiss of Bristol, Conn., has been a cripple since last June. Mr. Curtiss wears boots, and while pulling one of them on he dislocated his hip joint.

Athletics Enlarge Girls' Hands.

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GOT AROUND THE PLEDGE.

Amusing Ruse Adopted By Thirsty Scotch Woman.

Mrs. C. A. Barwise, president of the Boys' Welcome Hall association of Brooklyn, is an enthusiastic advocate of temperance. The other day, apropos of hypocrisy in the temperance movement, she said:

"I hope there are not many of us to whom the spirit of the temperance pledge means so little as it did to a certain Scottish woman.

"This woman had made a vow not to drink liquor, and a day or two after the vow she supped at a friend's house.

"In those days temperance was not common in Scotland, and at the supper wine was passed about like tea.

"The new temperance convert looked at the wine longingly. Her hostess said:

"'I'm sorry ye canna drink a glass o' wine wi' us on account o' yer temperance principles.'

"The other had just taken on her plate a piece of cake. She said, thoughtfully, extending her plate toward the wine bottle:

"'Aweel, just pour it on my cake and I'll eat it.'"

A Teacher's Testimony.

Hinton, Ky., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—It has long been claimed that Diabetes is incurable, but Mr. E. J. Thompson, teacher in the Hinton school, has pleasing evidence to the contrary. Mr. Thompson had Diabetes. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills and is cured. In a statement he makes regarding his cure Mr. Thompson says:

"I was troubled with my kidneys for more than two years and was treated by two of the best doctors in this part of the state. They claimed I had Diabetes and there was little to be done for me. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and what they did for me was wonderful. It is entirely owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills that I am now enjoying good health."

Many doctors still maintain that Diabetes is incurable. But Diabetes is a kidney disease, and the kidney disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills will not cure has yet to be discovered.

Not Always a Good Rule.

"My boy," said the old gentleman who was trying to impress one of the lessons of life upon his young hopeful, "in all the affairs of life don't forget to aim high."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the boy bitterly, "but with my luck the chances are that after the battle I would find that success had been lying down in the trenches. I tell you, dad, those blind old hit-or-miss rules don't go any more. The thing to do is to aim for what you're after."

And that naturally ended the lesson for the day.

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To Suit Herself.

He—Queer a person hasn't any say as to how old he is to grow, isn't it?

She—Oh, I don't know. I've managed to regulate my age to suit myself for some years.—Detroit Free Press.

The Judge at Repartee.

"Did you ever try any of our whisky, Judge?" asked the dealer.

"No," replied the judge; "but I tried a man to-day who had."—Judge.

No Voice From the Tomb.

She—How is it that widows generally manage to marry again?

He—Because dead men tell no tales.

When my little girl had eczema many doctors failed to cure her. I found the medicines that did. I will send the prescription on receipt of 30 cents. Louis Kanne, 628 Penn Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

Experience often provides the raw material for unnecessary conversation.

His Way is Best.

The snows of winter nurse the hopeful corn;
Long, patient months produce the harvest fair;
The darkling clouds the sunset's throne prepare;
Mid glacier crags are noblest rivers born;
The tempest tracks the mountain's face adorn;
In deepest mines are treasured gems most rare;
The port is calmer, reached through storms of care;
The night of weeping melts in joyful morn.
Events are not at first as they meet the sight;
The sons of God by passing griefs are blest;
Amid the dark he ever leads to light;
His purposes and plans are always right.
Commit thy way to him, his way is best;
Oh, wait for him, wait patiently and rest.
—Christopher Newman Hall.

HER KEY TO THE SITUATION

BY K. B.

"You see, the same key fitted!" Mrs. Lanyon paused, stammered, flushed, then came to a sudden stop.

The man advanced a step and held out his hands. "It's a world of compensation," he said, and smiled.

"Of——?"

"The pleasure of this—this—extraordinary meeting compensates in some degree for the pain of that last very ordinary one," he said.

Mrs. Lanyon stared for a moment. "I hope you're not going to be silly," she observed. "I shouldn't have come in here if I had known."

"But now you are here——" the pushing of an easy chair toward her pointed the unfinished remark.

"Certainly not. I only wanted to explain. I'm not going to sit down and talk to you. If you hadn't looked up at that particular minute I should have slipped away, and you never would have known. It's all the fault of that lift-boy."

"He shall be tortured—scrumptuously. I say, I'm awfully glad to see you."

"And it wasn't till I got right into the room here that I saw my mistake. The hall are so exactly alike, and with all those draperies you never know where you are."

"I do—just now."

"And I was so frightfully confused—it's been a meeting at our club—an Extraordinary Meeting the secretary called it when she sent me my invitation card—I mean, notice, and we had to pass resolutions and things. The chairwoman—she's my very dearest friend, you know—wanted to explain that by some accident the accounts are all wrong. Of course, I don't understand these things myself, but when it came to doubling our subscriptions I said 'Certainly not—whatever next?' And when the lift-boy put me out on the wrong landing I was too worried to take proper notice. I wouldn't have done such a thing for the world."

"I wouldn't have had you miss doing it for a score of worlds. I haven't seen you for—for—how long does it take to make an eternity? I say, don't hurry—couldn't we—mightn't we—let's have some tea," he suggested.

"My one weakness!"

"Methinks the lady doth protest too much. I seem to remember another. Is he—is he—well?"

"He? Which?"

"Why, the—the—weakness. He was grinding for his majority last year, and I was cast into outer darkness by the reflection of his genius. I'm going to ring for tea."

"For goodness' sake, don't tell anybody I had tea here alone with you while your wife was out," said Mrs. Lanyon presently; "our chairwoman—she's quite my dearest friend, but she's so tactless, she'd ruin her grandmother for want of thought."

"I suppose the Major's awfully conservative?"

"My dear boy, how on earth can I tell? He hasn't a constituency, and I know nothing whatever of his principles."

"You don't mean you're—you're separated, are you?"

"Separated? Why, he's in India."

"Some people have all the luck!" The tone was envious and gloomy.

"Aren't you happy where you are, then, Billy?"

"Happy?" He leaned over the back of her chair and took possession of her hand. "I'm awfully—awfully happy, only I can't keep it up. You're just the same as ever, and not a day older, and you've got the prettiest fingers in all the world."

A little pause, then spoke Mrs. Lanyon, seriously. "I think you're rather foolish, don't you know, foolish or worse? If it hadn't been for that key——"

"Bless its heart!" was the fatuous interruption.

"——for that key, I shouldn't have dreamt of coming in here, and you wouldn't have been silly. And you are not to hold both my hands. What on earth would your wife say if she should see you?"

"She wouldn't mind."

"She'd be horrified."

"She'd be awfully in the way. Look here, I'm going to pour you out some tea."

"The same key fitted!"

Mrs. Lanyon rose. "I don't think I'll stop, thanks all the same. You haven't grown a bit more sensible than you used to be—and you're getting gray, Billy, you're getting gray. It's time you reformed."

"Pooh! Some people are color-blind, and I'm only twenty." He began to laugh, as he put down the teapot. "Sugar?"

"I don't know what you're thinking of, Billy, I really don't, but my poor husband used to say—poor dear, he was very fractious at times—he used to say that the married-man who made love to the woman who was not his wife was extravagant in his affections and reckless in his syntax. His affections and his syntax were equally unreliable."

"Ah! But what about the woman who was so jolly, and so—so—mussiny that he couldn't help it?" He moved to Mrs. Lanyon's side with the cup. "Tell me if this isn't right."

"I believe it's all wrong. You've no business to be so glad to see me."

"No? But I can't help it. I'm so glad that I feel I can't do anything but hold your hand—and hold your hand—and hold your hand, and then walk round to see if you're still there—and hold your hand again to make sure."

"Billy!"

"It's true."

"'Extravagant in his affections and reckless in his syntax.' My poor husband must have had you in his mind when he said it."

"I should like to meet her."

"It's like his—I won't abuse him, Belle, because he belongs to you."

"'Belonged,' you mean. I've been a widow for more than three years."

"By Jove! But I thought you said the Major was in India?"

"The Major? Of course—so he is. You don't mean to say you thought I'd married the Major?"

"Then you didn't?"

Mrs. Lanyon shook her head. "I was very fond of the dear boy, but I don't think I should care to marry into the army. It's so—so—dictatorial, with its 'Halts!' and its 'Eyes rights!' Oh, no!"

"But that girl—that sweetly innocent-looking little girl you used to have staying with you such a lot—she certainly told me so, and offered to get me the most convincing proof. And it wasn't true?"

"Not a word of it. I'd have told you myself if it had been. That sweetly innocent-looking little girl—she certainly was my dearest friend, and it's precisely what I should have expected of her—for some purpose, best known to herself, was romancing—romancing for all she was worth, Billy. I refused that poor Major no less than four separate times."

"And I went away!"

"Very unnecessarily—then."

"But now, Belle—now?"

Mrs. Lanyon took up her gloves and began to smooth them coaxingly over a small and plump hand.

"Now—Belle?"

"Now?" The gloves were on, and Mrs. Lanyon rose briskly. "Now I'll say good-by, and go to find my own flat. Then I shall send for a man to alter the lock of the front door. Unless, of course, you expect your wife in soon—I should like to meet her."

The answering smile broadened into a laugh. "So should I, darling, so should I. I've been wanting to meet her for a very long time indeed. And it strikes me that now—at last——"

Mrs. Lanyon interrupted with a gasp. "You don't mean to say you're not——"

"Not only 'not,' but never have been."

A groan from Mrs. Lanyon. "That sweetly innocent-looking little girl! And only to think of all the time we've wasted."

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"It just shows," observed Mrs. Lanyon, some considerable time later, "how mischief is defeated and how the good cause triumphs, accidentally. If it hadn't been for the mere accident that upset the club's accounts and made us have that extraordinary meeting which so confused me that I didn't know afterward which was your landing and which was mine—not that I suspected for a moment that we were living in the same block—there we might have been to the end of time separated forever by your ceiling and my floor. It only shows!"—New York Press.

Tackled Nine Lions.

Col. Colin Harding, who is in command of the Barotseland native police, has had a narrow escape from death.

While traveling by mule cart from Mumbwa to Kalomo he found nine lions across the track. He picked up his rifle and wounded two, one of which he was following for a second shot when a lioness sprang upon him and knocked him over.

Luckily he retained his rifle, and the brute fled as he fired. He had, however, sustained a broken collar bone, and his thigh was gashed. One of the lions was found dead.—London Express.

Russo-Japanese Fight.

Russians and Japanese fought on one of the London docks. "The casualties," says the St. James' Gazette, "were one Russian stabbed and one Japanese prisoner, who spent the day in a British cell shouting 'Banzai!'"

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Food for the Elephant.

While Bourke Cockran has few equals and hardly a superior in this country as an extemporaneous speaker, a great majority of his apparently impromptu utterances have been carefully prepared and memorized for days in advance of their delivery. "In dictating one of my recent speeches, subsequently delivered in Tammany hall," Mr. Cockran confided to a friend the other day, "there was a sort of climax in which occurred the words: 'This argument furnishes every kind of fuel that eloquence needs.'

"But on sending to my stenographer for a transcript of the speech, imagine my emotions on seeing my climax transcribed: 'This argument furnishes every kind of food that elephants need.'—meaning the G. O. P., I suppose."—New York Times.

Reaction Against Easy Divorce.

The country as a whole is experiencing a wholesome reaction against the free and easy divorce system which has brought so much reproach on America. States are modifying the laws which in so many instances have practically invited the filing of petitions. Even South Dakota has lengthened the time necessary to secure residence. Courts, responding to the general impulse, are being more careful against abusing the discretion lodged in them—are more vigilant against collusion—more insistent that proof shall be complete. In social life there is a tendency to go back to the old opinion which regarded divorce as a disgrace and visited obloquy on the divorced. The pendulum which so long swung one way is now swinging the other.—New York Globe.

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Professor Holds Years Well.

Charles Eliot Norton of Cambridge, Mass., celebrated his 77th birthday last week. The distinguished senior professor of Harvard passed the day quietly at his home, Shady Hill. Prof. Norton is in very good health. Though he stoops slightly and his hair and mustache are white, nothing else in his manner suggests that he feels the weight of years. He is engaged every day in literary work and his mind is as keen and analytical as ever.

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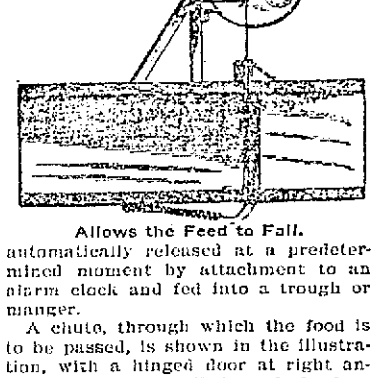
SCIENCE and INVENTION

Electricity Kills Insects.

The Elektrotechnische Zeitschrift (Berlin) announces that it has received from M. Lokuzejewski the description of an apparatus for the destruction of insects, of their larvae, and of caterpillars, the apparatus having recently been presented to the Odessa Technical society. Under a wagon drawn by horses or run by an alcohol motor there is placed a small dynamo. This dynamo is moved by a system of gearing placed on the axle of the vehicle, the dynamo being connected with an induction coil in front of which is placed a Wehnelt interrupter. The negative pole of the induction coil is connected with the iron framework of the vehicle, that is connected with a series of metallic brooms placed behind and under the wagon. These brooms may be moved in a vertical direction, and as they give forth a large shower of sparks, any insect within the range of the broom is destroyed. The wagon should follow immediately behind the plow, as the latter, by opening the earth, brings to light insects and larvae.

Feeder for Stock.

One of the disagreeable tasks in relation to the care of horses, cows or other cattle is the necessity of arising early and supplying them with feed. This is especially true with milk dealers, bakers and many others who are compelled to get up an hour or two before serving their route in order to feed their horses. This is also the case on Sundays with all drivers of teams. Automatic time stock feeders are not new to the trades, by any means, but few are as simple as the one shown in the illustration. This is so constructed that the feed may be automatically released at a predetermined moment by attachment to an alarm clock and fed into a trough or manger.



Allows the Feed to Fall.

A chute, through which the food is to be passed, is shown in the illustration, with a hinged door at right angles to the inner wall thereof, the door being connected with an arm which projects through the wall of the chute. This arm is fastened to a spring held to a pin in the outer wall of the chute. A bracket supports a clock upon the other side of the chute, the clock having an alarm attachment. The key which winds the alarm apparatus is connected to a spring-pressed bolt which is mounted in the wall of the chute and designed to support the hinged door when the same is weighted down with food. As the clock runs down the cord withdraws the bolt, and when the proper time is reached the door is released and the food falls down to the manger. After the door is relieved of its weight the spring will cause it to resume its normal position. This would also be very useful in large establishments.

The patentees are John R. Ray and William E. Sankey, of Salem, Mo.

Would Exterminate Rats.

Unremitting warfare against rats is advocated by Sir James Crichton Browne, who says that people nowadays are living under sanitary conditions which will seem as shocking and wrong to their descendants 200 years hence as conditions that obtained two centuries ago appear now. In advocating a crusade against rats, as the great carriers of disease, Sir James suggests a new form of relaxation. "We have with us," he says, "lots of gilded youths whose time hangs heavy on their hands, and who might vary their amusements by rat-catching, which must be quite as exciting and elevating as pigeon shooting. If the sporting papers would give a description of the battues and reports of the bags, with odds on the favorite rat-catchers and portraits of the record-breakers, those pernicious little rodents would soon become scarce—unless, indeed, enthusiasts should take to breeding and laying them down as we do pheasants. Great things may be expected when sport, fashion and sanitation join hands in rat-catching."

Good and Bad Bacteria.

There are bacteria and bacteria. Dr. Charrin, a French physiologist, has been experimenting upon rabbits with various vegetables sterilized by the most approved processes, and he has shown that it is erroneous to declare that the less bacteria there are in our daily food the better. What is required is to weed out the harmful organisms from the beneficent kinds. The rabbits fed on sterilized foods soon died from maladies set up by non-assimilation of the vegetables, but other rabbits flourished on similar sterilized vegetables that had been afterward treated with suitable bacteria.

Seismographs on Railways.

An indication of the swift progress of the Japanese mind in practical science is afforded by Doctor Omori's recent report on the measurement of the vibrations of railway carriages by means of seismographs. The primary purpose of the seismograph is to measure the oscillations of earthquakes. Japanese engineers use it for determining the proper balance of locomotives and the state of the permanent way on railways. Many practical advantages in the saving of fuel and the detection of faults in construction have thus resulted.

The Harm of Flashlights.

The New York Medical Record calls attention to the injurious effects of flashlight advertising signs which show a brilliant light every few seconds. "The effect of this alteration of light and darkness is most trying, not only to the eyes of the passers-by, but also and especially to residents in the neighborhood whose windows look out on the signs. One may sleep in a bright light or in darkness, but no nerves can stand the strain of a momentary illumination of the sleeping apartment recurring several times a minute."

Improved Decoy Ducks.

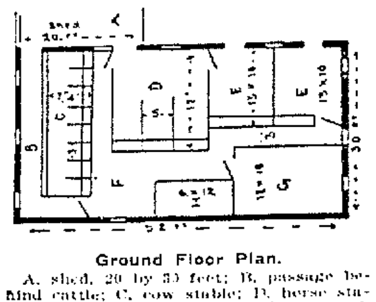
A decoy duck that will flap its wings and rise from the water has been put on the market. The decoy is mounted on a rod which fits into a tube whereby the decoy may be anchored. The decoy is connected with a cord to the shore or wherever the hunter is and when the latter pulls the bird moves.

GROUND FLOOR OF BARN.

Plan Provides for Much Accommodation Within Small Space.

F. M.—I have bought timber for a barn 30 by 52 feet with an L for a straw shed, 20 by 30 feet. I would like to know how I could lay out the basement to accommodate 10 or 12 head of cattle, a root house, a pen for small pigs, two or three stalls, and a box stall for horses. The bents are as follows: 20 feet for large mow; 14 feet drive floor, and 18 feet mow and granary over horses. I do not intend to close in under the straw shed. I would like to arrange so as to have cow and horse stable door under the shed. The barn will run east and west, with shed on the east end.

The accompanying plan provides for 8 single cow stalls; 3 single horse stalls; two box stalls, one of which may be used for cattle if desired; root house, pig pen and shed. The manure may be removed direct from both the horse and cow stable into the shed.



Ground Floor Plan.

A, shed, 20 by 30 feet; B, passage behind cattle; C, cow stable; D, horse stable; EE, box stalls; F, feed room; G, root house; H, pig pen.

Pump Not Working Well.

J. L. McD.—A well 34 feet deep contains 12 feet of water. A pipe 1½ inches in diameter leads from the well to the stable, a distance of 110 feet, with a fall of 3 feet. After the pump has been idle for a time one has to pump about eighty strokes before water comes. What is wrong with the pump?

In this instance it appears that either the cylinder is too small or too high in the wheel or that the valve is loose in the cylinder and leaking air. If the latter is the case, the pipe empties after each operation, and the whole has to be refilled with a loose valve, which accounts for the large number of strokes necessary. If the cylinder is too small, it would require a large number of strokes to bring the water up to that point in the well, and if it were too high up, especially with a loose valve, it would have the same result. I should recommend the examination of the valve as the most probable cause of the difficulty.—J. B. R.

Transplanting Bearing Apple Trees.

Sub.—What is the best time of year to transplant apple trees that have been bearing about four years?

The best time to transplant apple trees is early in the spring, as soon as the soil is dry enough. I fear, however, that to transplant apple trees which have been bearing for four years would not be a very successful undertaking and I would not advise doing so. It would be much better to leave the trees where they are, even if it were necessary to use the ground about them for something else, and to plant young trees on the spot intended for these bearing ones. If, however, it is determined to transplant the trees at any cost, the work should be very carefully done and as many roots as possible kept on. The trees should be headed back severely, at least two years' growth being taken off all round the tree.—M.

Transplanting Rhubarb.

L. A. G.—What is the best time to transplant rhubarb which was grown from seed sown last spring?

Rhubarb may be transplanted at any time after the leaves die down in the fall; but with young seedlings I should advise you to wait until spring to move them. There is danger of small roots being thrown above the ground by the action of frost, and if planted this fall they might have to be set again in the spring. Prepare your ground this fall by plowing under well rotted manure; or, still better, plow out trenches four feet apart. Fill the trenches to within six inches of the top with manure, throw in two inches of fine dirt and set the plants, having them three feet apart in the rows. Mulch each fall with manure, which should be forked around the plants the following spring.—C. E. H.

Number of Ewes for Eighty Acres.

J. D.—How many ewes would it be advisable to keep on eighty acres of brush land, so that it would not be overstocked when they will have lambs next spring; there is fair grass amongst the brush?

Much depends on how much grass there is and the nature of the soil, whether low or high land, etc. But with such information as is given, we should say about twenty-five ewes. The natural increase would be about 1½, so that between ewes and lambs there would be about seventy-two sheep and lambs to graze after about the middle of June.

Power from Water Pressure.

W. H. C.—How much power can I get from 50 feet of a fall of water running through a 2-inch pipe? The spring is about 22 rods from the house.

The amount of power supplied in this instance is so trifling as not to be worth considering. The distance, 22 or 23 rods, together with a small size of pipe, reduces the original head of fifty feet so materially that the power available is only one-seventy-fifth of a horse power.

Troublesome Lilac Bush.

L. W.—How can I get rid of a lilac bush. We cut it down a year or two ago and now it has grown up and is spreading all over the yard?

There is no way of getting rid of the lilac except by digging it out. If the main clumps are dug out there will be little trouble in getting rid of the smaller ones if they are dug up during the summer and new shoots are hoed off as they appear.

Roup in Turkeys.

E. M. P.—Will you kindly publish the treatment for roup in turkeys?

Mr. A. G. Gilbert, poultry manager at the Central Dominion Experimental farm, recommends the use of a solution of Platt's chlorides, made of a solution of one part chlorides to five parts rain water. Bathe the head and affected parts well and do so several times per day. Separate the sick birds and disinfect the premises.

LAUGHED AT GREAT INVENTOR.

Naive Answer Made to Edison by Green Fireman.

Thomas A. Edison was one day explaining an intricate machine to a newspaper writer.

"Do you understand?" Mr. Edison would ask. And a moment later: 'Now, do you understand?'

The poor journalist tried to follow the swift sentences of the inventor, but the effort was in vain. Every little while he would have to stop and say that just there he did not quite understand; and then, sighing, Mr. Edison would begin all over again.

"I know I am very green as regards machinery," the journalist said apologetically.

"Oh, no, I have seen greener," said Mr. Edison. "Did I ever tell you about the fireman I once met in Canada?

"Well, in a certain Canadian town where I was running a telegraph office in my youth, a new factory, with a very fine engine house, was put up. I visited this factory one day to see the engine. The engineer was out and the fireman, a new hand, showed me about. As we stood admiring the engine together I said:

"'What horse power has this engine?'

"The fireman gave a loud laugh.

"'Horse power?' he exclaimed. 'Why, man, don't you know that the machine goes by steam?'"

EVENED UP THE SCORE.

Noisy Individual Squelched by Mild Mannered Nervous Man.

The man with a mailing tube in his hand was walking through the car when in a spirit of too much exuberance he brought the heavy tube down across the end of a seat occupied by the nervous man.

"O, thank you!" called the nervous man after him; "I wish you could stay and do that a while longer. Can't you?—do!"

The whole waiting car was attracted in a moment, but the man with the mailing tube hadn't been fazed. He turned on his heel in a flash and came back to the seat.

"Certainly," he smiled, and the way he lay about him on the aisle end of the plush covered seat made it look easy for the car janitor.

"You see," said the nervous man, rising in the dust and looking around over his glasses, "I used to be an attendant in the Home for Feeble Minded, and when this fellow came along with his idiot stick it carried me back to those old days until I—"

But the man with the mailing tube was on his way rapidly into the smoking car, and the speaker sat down, while the smile spread audibly all over the coach.

She Got Several Souvenirs.

"My wife is great on souvenirs," said the man with the faraway look in his eyes. "A couple of weeks ago, as we were riding in the country, she called my attention to an oriole's nest hanging from the limb of a tree. She had wanted one for a long time and here was the chance, and I, of course, got out and secured it."

"Any eggs in it?" asked the fat man.

"No, no eggs."

"Any young birds?"

"No."

"Any old ones?"

"No."

"Just the nest, eh?"

"Just the nest and about a thousand wasps and we were both in bed three days."

Ask Your Druggist for Allen's Foot-Ease.

"I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE recently, and have just bought another supply. It has cured my corns, and the hot, burning and itching sensation in my feet which was almost unbearable, and I would not be without it now.—Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden, N. J." Sold by all Druggists, 25c.

The Immutability of Temperament.

"That man could own his own home if he were not so extravagant."

"Yes, but what would be the use? If he owned his own home he would simply mortgage it."

Most town folks admire their country relatives for visiting purposes only.

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Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave. N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Of course marriage is a failure when the liabilities exceed the assets.

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The zebra is born with stripes; man must acquire them.

"National" Caskets are used for all State funerals.

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Miss Nettie Blackmore, Minneapolis, tells how any young woman may be permanently cured of monthly pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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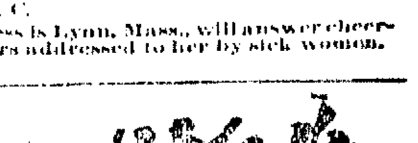

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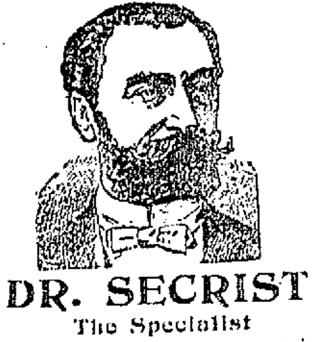

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OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

STRONGS PRAIRIE.

Henry Nelson left last week for Turtle Lake where he has employment for the winter.

F. York of Monroe Center, has been doing some carpenter work for Charlie Mattison and Mr. Wyman the past week.

The hunters, Messrs. Plattenburger, Kent and Fiegel, who have been up at Glen Flora the past week, returned to their homes in this place Friday last.

Ida Howard and her sister Alice left for Grand Rapids Wednesday.

John Hobart is on the sick list. Dr. Parham is attending him.

Lena Oleson and Miss Carlson of Slab Slough, left Thursday for Evanston where they will have employment for the winter.

The dance which was to have been last Saturday night was postponed on account of Mrs. Plattenburger's death. It will be held Saturday night Dec. 3d.

Obituary.

Mrs. Mae Plattenburger died at her home in the town of Strongs Prairie, Nov. 19, 1904, after only three days illness. Mae Parr was born in Lincoln county, Ill., Oct. 4, 1872, making her at the time of her death, 32 years, 1 month and 15 days. She was married to Frank Plattenburger Nov. 10, 1895. She was taken to Ellsworth, Ill., for burial.

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation, all yield to this perfect Pill. 25c at Daly Drug & Jewelry Co.

SARATOGA.

Rev. Madson of the Moravian church held services at the home of Mrs. Lena Hanson last Sunday.

Mrs. Rockstead of Grand Rapids visited at the Hansen home last Sunday p. m.

Miss Olara Johnson of Arpin spent Thanksgiving at home.

Severt Hansen returned home from the St. Louis exposition last Friday. He also visited in Chicago.

Mr. Krutz, two little daughters and son Aldolph are visiting in Illinois.

Our new mail route will be in operation by Dec. 1st. We are anxiously waiting to see the carrier go thru here.

Mrs. Dietz went to Chicago Monday to spend the winter.

Robert and Jennie McCrossen of Grand Rapids are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. K. F. Knutson.

Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup is a pleasant and effectual medicine for cleansing the system, regulating the liver and bowels, cures costiveness, biliousness, headaches, loss of appetite, bad breath, belching, disorders of the stomach, Indigestion and Dyspepsia. 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottles. Sam Church and John E. Daly druggist.

PITTSVILLE.

(From the Pilot.)

Ed. Severns came just a little nearer being killed last Monday while hunting at Arpin than he wants to be again. A stray bullet struck his gun stock, glanced and tore a chunk out of his hand and the splinters from the stock tore his face up some. It was a miracle that he was not killed. We understand Ed. dropped his gun on the spot and says that ends hunting for him here in this vicinity at least.

The city thru the influence of Geo. Brown has or will get the $500 from the county to apply on the bridge fund. Mr. Cotey and Mr. Brown got a bill thru deducting all interest, which is a big item off the tax sale of those renowned side-walk taxes levied in the first ward not more than a thousand years ago.

A big deal was closed Monday by Geo. Shlegel and C. Dunning whereby Mr. Dunning becomes a half owner in the flour mill business of the Pittsville Milling Co. The addition of Mr. Dunning to the firm makes it one of the most solid firms in this town financially.

Gwendolyn the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith fell from a porch at their home Saturday and broke her arm at the wrist. Dr. Hougen dressed the wound and the child is getting along nicely.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Clark of Veedum broke one of his arms Sunday. Dr. Hougen was called to attend him.

ALTDORF.

Chas. Gash, who suffered a stroke of paralysis about two weeks ago died Thursday morning. The funeral was held from the Lutheran church at Seneca corners Saturday afternoon and was largely attended. Mr. Gash was in his seventy-sixth year and had lived on his farm here for over thirty years. He leaves his wife, five sons and six daughters to mourn his death.

Last Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weursch where given a surprise by their neighbors, all who attended report a pleasant time.

Frank Wipfli, Albert Fertile, Frank Weursch and Carl Wipfli are at City Point deer hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nacht visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schutz at Sigel Sunday.

Mrs. O. J. Leu and mother, Mrs. Lewis, were shopping at Grand Rapids Saturday.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by Daly Drug & Jewelry Co. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free

RUDOLPH.

Mrs. James Kilday left on Thursday for southern Wisconsin for an extended visit with friends and relatives.

The dance given on Thanksgiving evening was a success both socially and financially. There was a large crowd in attendance and the chicken supper given by Mrs. A. Allie was reported fine.

Mrs. John Akey was in Grand Rapids on Saturday and while there had some dental work done.

Patrick Case had rather a serious attack of sickness, but is slowly recovering.

Miss Agnes Rheinhart is visiting friends in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Peter Lamars and L. H. Weyers were buisness visitors in your city yesterday.

Miss Fransis Morgan spent a few days at the home of her parents the past week, returning to Grand Rapids on Saturday.

Rev. Van Sever went to Grand Rapids Tuesday to attend the annual jubilee at the Catholic church there.

Emil Piltz has returned from Milwaukee where he has spent the summer working on his mother's farm. He will spend the winter here.

Minard Duncan has a bass viol at F. M. Logan's to be raffled off.

H. L. Freeman took a business trip to Grand Rapids on Monday.

F. M. Logan carries two grades of cranberries in stock. One is unusually large, somewhat smaller than a hen's egg. Call and see for yourself.

Frank Rogers was here from Manitowoc on business for a few days. He returned home Monday.

A large number of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Sharkey's friends took dinner with them on Thanksgiving day.

Rolly Baughman has a brother and friend visiting him from the southern part of the state. They are here to hunt deer, but thus far have had poor luck.

Ed. Brewer from Plainfield was visiting friends and relatives here last week.

The town board meets next Tuesday.

Wm. and Fred Piltz are doing a rushing business, they have installed a gasoline engine in their black-smith shop and intend to build sleighs and do all kinds of wood and iron work.

"I was troubled with constipation and stomach troubles, lost flesh, my complexion was ruined; Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea brought back my health and complexion."—Mary Allen, St. Louis. 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

Dr. Jackson was called Tuesday to prescribe for Mrs. Benedict, who lives in the town of Linwood. She is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Johnson, mother of Henry Johnson, is very poor in health on account of advanced age.

Mrs. H. L. Freeman spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents. She returned on Sunday.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. Daly Drug and Jewelry Co.

VESPER.

Bills are out for a social hop at the opera hall, Dec. 10, to be given by Messrs. Otto Marx, Carl Guttsinger and Alvin Kissinger. The boys promise that it will be one of the best of the season.

SIGEL.

The Swedish Lutheran church gave a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Aldolph Newman. It was largely attended by all and a neat little sum was cleared.

Quite a number of our young men attended the dance given at Vesper hall Thanksgiving evening.

Martin Crunstedt is reported very ill.

Fritz Nelson is spending a few days at the home of Em. Holstrum.

Miss Amelia Shroedel spent Thanksgiving at home.

Alfred Carlson is building a new house.

The B. Y. P. S. was held at John Heden's last Friday night.

Clause Johnson drove to Arpin on Sunday.

Fred Hill died on Friday, Nov. 25 at the home of his son at the age of 86 years. He was one of the early settlers of this town and an active member of the Lutheran church.

BIRON.

Miss Elizabeth Mathewson from Pardeeville is visiting with her brother Ray.

Possley Hall is now enclosed and John says will be ready by the 15th at which time he expects to give a grand opening.

The boys from the west side of the river are obliged to stay on the mill side this week account of river freezing over.

Jos. Faubart attended the marriage of his sister at Port Edwards Saturday.

Miss Gertrude LaVaque spent Saturday with her parents.

Grace, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaVaque had another relapse Tuesday and is now dangerously ill.

Mrs. Francis Biron is visiting with the LaVaque family this week.

F. A. Miller has been on the sick list for the past few days, but is again able to be about his duties.

A. Sweeney was taking in the sights Tuesday and shaking hands with his old friends.

Seth King was seen calling on his friends Tuesday. Seth is visiting with the Moore family.

Miss Lena Hornburg has been engaged as servant girl at the LaVaque hotel.

Girlie, Daisy and Belle LaVaque spent Thanksgiving with their grandma, Mrs. Thos. LaVaque at Rudolph.

A number of the people attended the Thanksgiving dance at Rudolph and all report having a good time, especially in the good order that is kept at dances given at Rudolph.

PORT EDWADRS.

Little Misses Lottie Oleson and Edna Pance of Grand Rapids were visiting at the Carlson and Leverance homes Saturday and were accompanied home by Miss Clara Leverance.

Little Miss Dorothy Brazeau is on the sick list.

Mrs. A. E. Gurdy after a week's visit at St. Louis, returned Monday.

Mrs. Anderson of the Rapids spent Saturday at A. Palm's.

Messrs. and Mesdames LeRoux and Zarfluh attended the dance at Nekoosa Thanksgiving night.

Mrs. E. C. Burrows and daughter visited with Nekoosa friends Saturday.

Charle Fosgate and Ben Burrows were at the Rapids last Wednesday.

Mesdames Dodge and Gurdy were at your city Tuesday.

Elmer Burrows returned from Bruce Saturday night, after a two week's hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Podawiltz entertained a few friends last Thursday evening.

Walter Weber of South Centralia was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gerrison spent Thanksgiving at Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Frank Noel was at the Rapids Tuesday.

BABCOCK.

Jas. McLaughlin of your city was a visitor in our village Tuesdry.

The house of Dick Curran about three miles south of the village was burned sometime Saturday night or Sunday and he was burned with the building. He lived alone and no one saw the fire so the particulars will never be kown. The remains or rather what was left of him was buried in the cemetery north of the village on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Pero, died in this village at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Porter, on Monday and was buried from the Catholic church on Friday forenoon. She was taken to Necedah her former home, for burial

Thos. Cummings was a Grand Rapids visitor on Monday.

Henry Shultz our depot agent has purchased of Geo. Oldfield his residence in the village. Mr. Oldfield's people expect to start for southern Tennessee in a few days.

Mrs. Geo. Ward and Mrs. Chas. Porter were Necedah visitors on Monday.

The Oakland hotel has been purchased by Tomah parties who will soon open it to the public.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are becoming a favorite for stomach troubles and constipation. For sale by Otto's Pharmacy.

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Beef, live, ℘ 100 lbs	$2.00 @ 3.00
Beef, dressed, ℘ 100 lbs	$4.00 @ 6.00
Pork, live	3½ 4
Pork, dressed	5 5½
Veal, live, ℘ ℔	.05
Veal, dressed, ℘ ℔	.08
Chickens, live, ℘ ℔	6 @ .8
Chickens, dressed, ℘ ℔	8 @ .12
Turkeys, live, ℘ ℔	11 @ .14
Turkeys, dressed, ℘ ℔	13 @ .15
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Notice of Foreclosure of Mortgage.

To John H. McCoy and Lavinia McCoy, his wife, F. A. Alvord and Sarah Z. Alvord, his wife, F. J. Wood, John T. Hancock & Son (a corporation) First National Bank of Waukon, Iowa, and Peter Christianson.

Notice is hereby given to you and to each of you,

That on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1901, John McCoy and Lovinia McCoy, his wife, signed, executed and delivered to the undersigned Central Trading Company, a corporation of the State of Wisconsin, a certain mortgage upon real estate in the County of Wood and State of Wisconsin, to secure the payment of certain notes therein mentioned, given to said Central Trading Company by said John H. McCoy. That said mortgage contained a power of sale upon default being made in any condition thereof. That default had been made in the conditions of said mortgage by said John H. McCoy failing to pay said notes therein mentioned, or the interest thereon, when due and payable and by failing and neglecting to pay the taxes assessed and levied on the lands in said mortgage mentioned, for the year 1903.

The said mortgage is dated August 5th, 1901, and the same was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wood county, Wisconsin, on the 26th day of September, A. D. 1901, at 8:20 o'clock A. M., in Volume 12 of Mortgages, on page 475.

That the amount claimed to be due thereon at the date of this notice is the sum of Thirty-six Hundred Sixty-five and 54-100 ($3,665.54) Dollars, principal and interest on the said notes so secured, together with the sum of One Hundred Seventeen and 95-100 ($117.95) Dollars paid as and for taxes for the year 1903 with interest; and the sum of Two Hundered ($200.00) Dollars as solicitors fees stipulated therein, making a total sum of Thirty-nine Hundred and Eighty-three and 49-100 ($3,983.49) Dollars.

That said mortgaged premises are located in the County of Wood and State of Wisconsin and are more particularly described in said mortgage as follows, to wit:

The Northeast Quarter; the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter and the South Half of Section Twenty-seven (27); Northwest Quarter of Section Twenty-nine (29), and the Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty (30), all in Township Twenty-two (22) North, of Range Two (2) East. Excepting and reserving a strip Two (2) rods wide on the North side of the Northwest Quarter of Section Twenty-nine (29) and on the North side of Section Thirty (30).

That said mortgage was given to secure the purchase price of said land and contained a stipulation that upon request and the payment of a sum therein stipulated, the mortgagee therein mentioned would release from the operation of such mortgage such part or portion so requested to be released and paid. That pursuant to a request and payment made therefor, the Northeast Quarter of said Section Thirty (30) was and is released and the lien of said mortgage as to said Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty (30) aforesaid, extinguished.

That pursuant to the power in said mortgage granted, such mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the mortgaged premises or so much thereof as shall be necessary to secure the sum of Thirty-nine Hundred Eighty-three and 49-100 ($3,983.49) Dollars aforesaid.

That the said mortgaged premises hereinbefore described, excepting therefrom the Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty (30) aforesaid, will be offered for sale at public auction by the sheriff or under sheriff of Wood county, Wisconsin, and will be sold to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the front door of the court house, in the City of Grand Rapids, Wood county, State of Wisconsin, on Thursday, December 15th, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

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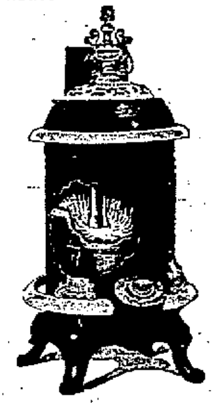

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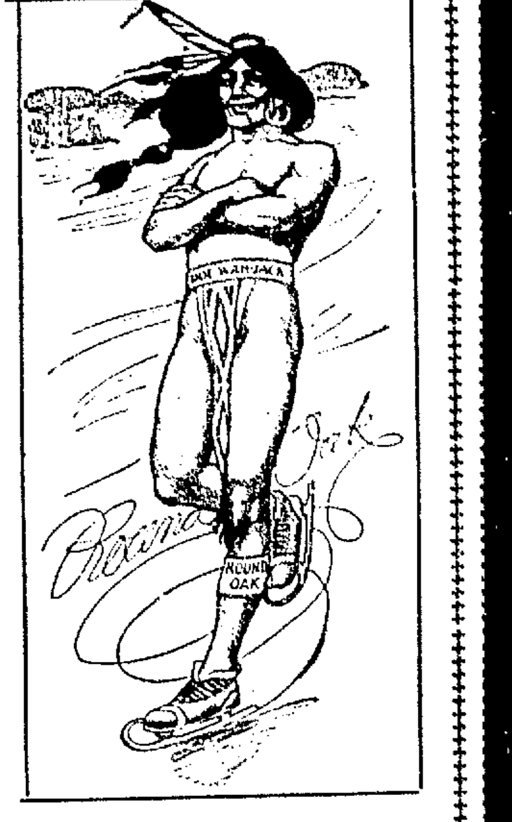

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